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Introduction

Congratulations on purchasing Edimax's BR-6104P Broadband Router. The BR-6104P Broadband Router is an incredibly fast router with 20 Mbps LAN to WAN throughput. The BR-6104P is a cost-effective IP Sharing Router that enables multiple users to share the Internet through an ADSL or cable modem. Simply configure your Internet connection settings in the BR-6104P router and plug your PC to the BR-6104P LAN port and you're ready to share files and access the Internet. As your network grows, you can connect another hub or switch to the router's LAN ports, allowing you to easily expand your network. It is also equipped with a print server that can let you share your printer to all Intranet users. The BR-6104P provides a total solution for the Small and Medium-sized Business (SMB) and the Small Office/Home Office (SOHO) markets, giving you an instant network today, and the flexibility to handle tomorrow's expansion and speed.

Features

- High Internet Access throughput (20M)
- Allow multiple users to share a single Internet line
- Supports up to 253 users
- Internet Access via Cable or xDSL modem
- Access Private LAN Servers from the Public Network
- Equipped with four LAN ports (10/100M) and one WAN port (10/100M)
- Provides print server that supports LPD printing protocol
- Support DHCP (Server/Client) for easy setup
- Support advance features such as: Special Applications, DMZ, Virtual Servers, Access Control, Firewall, and Bridge mode.
- Allow you to monitor the router's status such as: DHCP Client Log, Security Log and Device/Connection Status
- Easy to use Web-based GUI for configuration and management purposes
- Remote Management allows configuration and upgrades from a remote site (over the Internet)

Minimum Requirements

- One External xDSL (ADSL) or Cable modem with an Ethernet port (RJ-45)
- Network Interface Card (NIC) for each Personal Computer (PC)
- PCs with a Web-Browser (Internet Explorer 4.0 or higher, or Netscape Navigator 4.7 or higher)

Package Content

- One 4-port Broadband router unit
- One UTP cable (Straight Though Cable)
- One User Manual
- One Power Adapter
- Accessories

Get to know the Broadband Router

Back Panel

The diagram (fig1.0) below shows the broadband router's back panel. The router's back panel is divided into three sections, **LAN**, **WAN** and **Reset**:

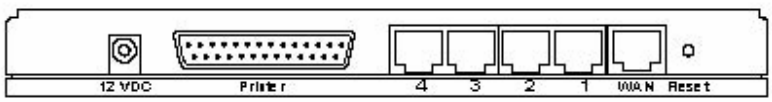


Figure 1.0

1) Local Area Network (LAN)

The Broadband router's 4 LAN ports are where you connect your LAN's PCs, printer servers, hubs and switches etc.

2) Wide Area Network (WAN)

The WAN port is the segment connected to your xDSL or Cable modem and is linked to the Internet. If the modem port is a regular port, you have to use a straight through cable to link the WAN port to the modem. If the modem port is a uplink port, you have to use a crossover cable to link the WAN port to the modem.

Note: See if the WAN LED LNK/ACT light (see front panel) is lit or not. (WAN LED LNK/ACT lit (correct cable); WAN LED LNK/ACT not lit (wrong cable).

3) Printer

The printer port is where you connect your printer.

4) Reset

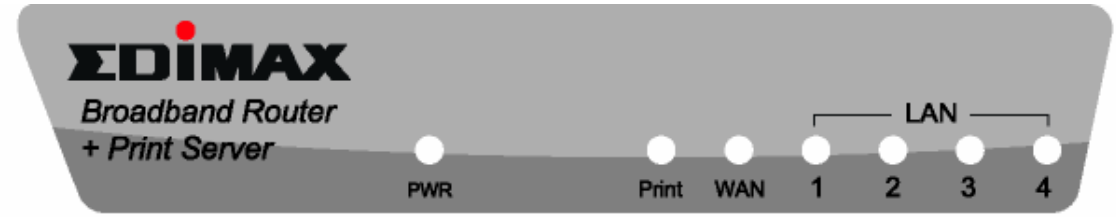
The Reset button allows you to do one of two things.

1) If problems occur with your router, press the router's reset button with a pencil tip (for less than 4 seconds) and the router will re-boot itself, keeping your original configurations.

2) If problems persist or you experience extreme problems or you forgot your password, press the reset button for longer than 4 seconds and the router will reset itself to the factory default settings (**warning**: your original configurations will be replaced with the factory default settings)

Front Panel

On the router's front panel there are LED lights that inform you of the router's current status. Below is an explanation of each LED and its description.



LED	Light Status	Description
PWR	ON	Router's power supply is on
WAN	Green	WAN port 100Mbps is connected
	Yellow	WAN port 10Mbps is connected
	Off	No WAN connection
	Flashing	WAN port has Activity (ACT), data being sent
LAN (Port 1-4)	Green	LAN port 100Mbps is connected
	Yellow	LAN port 10Mbps is connected
	Off	No LAN connection
	Flashing	LAN port has Activity (ACT), data being sent
Print	ON	Printer attached is power on
	Off	No printer is attached or printer is power off
	Flashing	Printer is printing

Setup Diagram

Figure 1.2 below shows a typical setup for a Local Area Network (LAN).

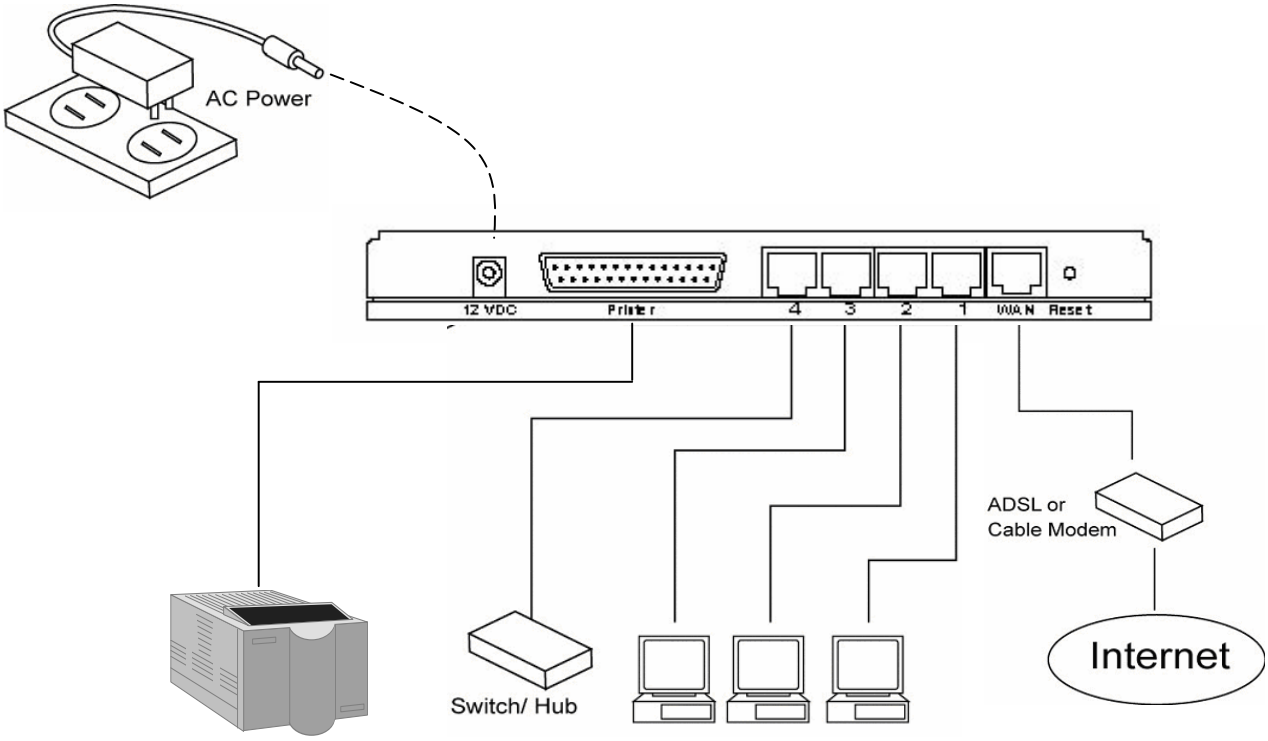


Figure 1.2

Getting started

This is a step-by-step instruction on how to start using the router and get connected to the Internet.

1) Setup your network as shown in the setup diagram above (fig 1.2).

2) You then need to set your LAN PC clients so that it can obtain an IP address automatically. All LAN clients require an IP address. Just like an address, it allows LAN clients to find one another. (If you have already configured your PC to obtain an IP automatically then proceed to step 3, page 11)

Configure your PC to obtain an IP address automatically

By default the broadband router's DHCP is on, this means that you can obtain an IP address automatically once you've configured your PC to obtain an IP address automatically. This section will show you how to configure your PC's so that it can obtain an IP address automatically for either Windows 95/98/Me, 2000 or NT operating systems. For other operating systems (Macintosh, Sun, etc.), follow the manufacturer's instructions. The following is a step-by-step illustration on how to configure your PC to obtain an IP address automatically for 2a) **Windows 95/98/Me**, 2b) **Windows 2000** and 2c) **Windows NT**.

2a) Windows 95/98/Me

1: Click the *Start* button and select *Settings*, then click *Control Panel*. The *Control Panel* window will appear.

2: Double-click *Network* icon. The *Network* window will appear.

3: Check your list of Network Components. If TCP/IP is not installed, click the *Add* button to install it now. If TCP/IP is installed, go to **step 6**.

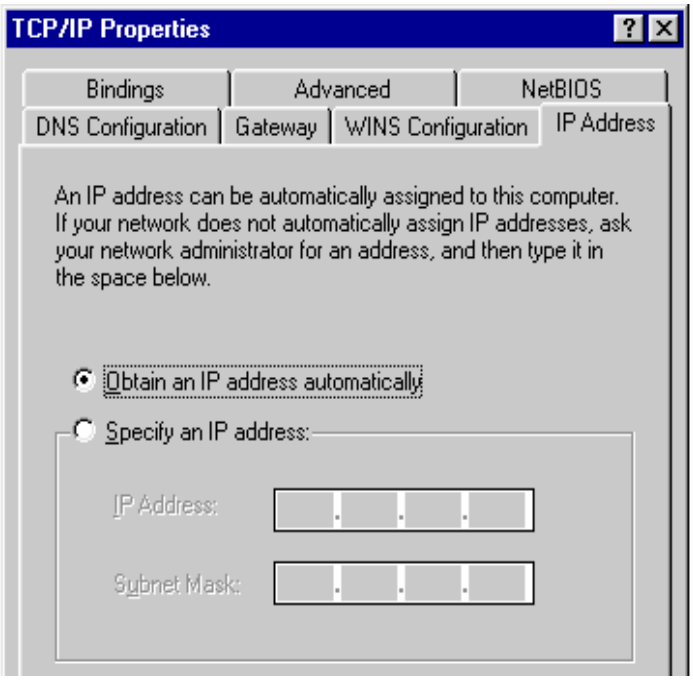
4: In the *Network Component Type* dialog box, select *Protocol* and click *Add* button.

5: In the *Select Network Protocol* dialog box, select *Microsoft* and *TCP/IP* and then click the *OK* button to start installing the TCP/IP protocol. You may need your Windows CD to complete the installation.

6: After installing TCP/IP, go back to the *Network* dialog box. Select *TCP/IP* from the list of *Network Components* and then click the *Properties* button.

7: Check each of the tabs and verify the following settings:

- **Bindings**: Check *Client for Microsoft Networks* and *File and printer sharing for Microsoft Networks*.
- **Gateway**: All fields are blank.
- **DNS Configuration**: Select *Disable DNS.*
- **WINS Configuration**: Select *Disable WINS Resolution.*
- **IP Address**: Select *Obtain IP address automatically*.


TCP/IP Properties
Bindings
Advanced
NetBIOS
DNS Configuration
Gateway
WINS Configuration
IP Address
An IP address can be automatically assigned to this computer. If your network does not automatically assign IP addresses, ask your network administrator for an address, and then type it in the space below.
Obtain an IP address automatically
Specify an IP address:
IP Address:
Subnet Mask:

8: Reboot the PC. Your PC will now obtain an IP address automatically from your Broadband Router's DHCP server.

Note: Please make sure that the Broadband router's DHCP server is the only DHCP server available on your LAN.

Once you've configured your PC to obtain an IP address automatically, please proceed to Step 3 (Page 11).

2b) Windows 2000

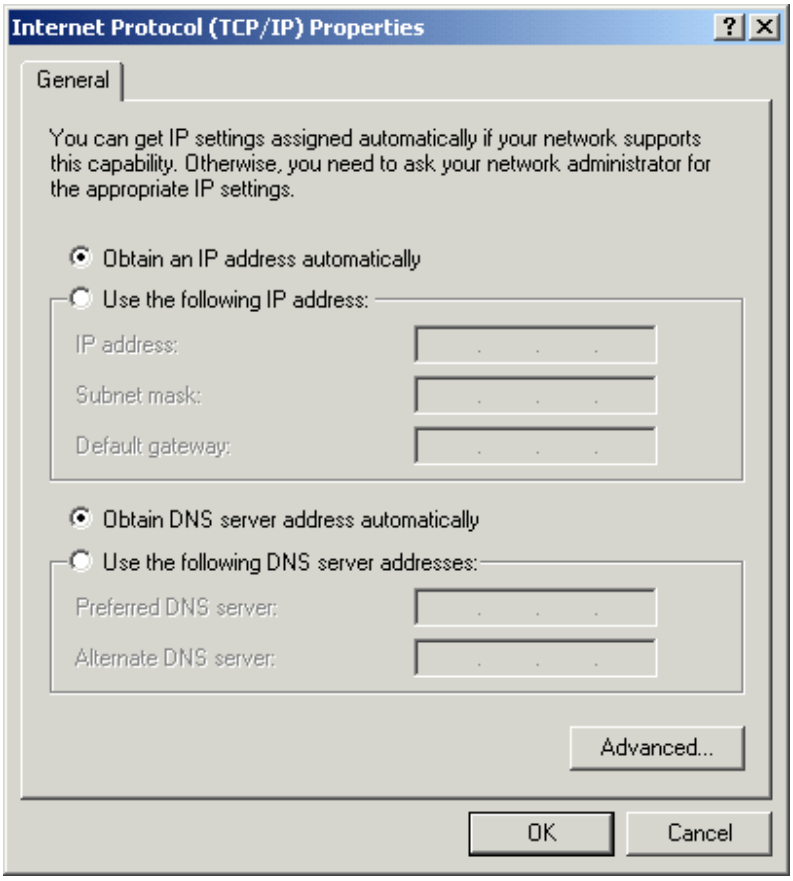
1: Click the *Start* button and select *Settings*, then click *Control Panel*. The *Control Panel* window will appear.

2: Double-click *Network and Dial-up Connections* icon. In the *Network and Dial-up Connection* window, double-click *Local Area Connection* icon. The *Local Area Connection* window will appear.

3: In the *Local Area Connection* window, click the *Properties* button.

4: Check your list of Network Components. You should see *Internet Protocol [TCP/IP]* on your list. Select it and click the *Properties* button.

5: In the Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Properties window, select *Obtain an IP address automatically* and *Obtain DNS server address automatically* as shown on the following screen.


Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Properties
General
You can get IP settings assigned automatically if your network supports this capability. Otherwise, you need to ask your network administrator for the appropriate IP settings.
Obtain an IP address automatically
Use the following IP address:
IP address:
Subnet mask:
Default gateway:
Obtain DNS server address automatically
Use the following DNS server addresses:
Preferred DNS server:
Alternate DNS server:
Advanced...
OK
Cancel

6: Click *OK* to confirm the setting. Your PC will now obtain an IP address automatically from your Broadband Router's DHCP server.

Note: Please make sure that the Broadband router's DHCP server is the only DHCP server available on your LAN.

Once you've configured your PC to obtain an IP address automatically, please proceed to Step 3 (Page 11).

2c) Windows NT

1: Click the *Start* button and select *Settings*, then click *Control Panel*. The *Control Panel* window will appear.

2: Double-click *Network* icon. The *Network* window will appear. Select the *Protocol* tab from the *Network* window.

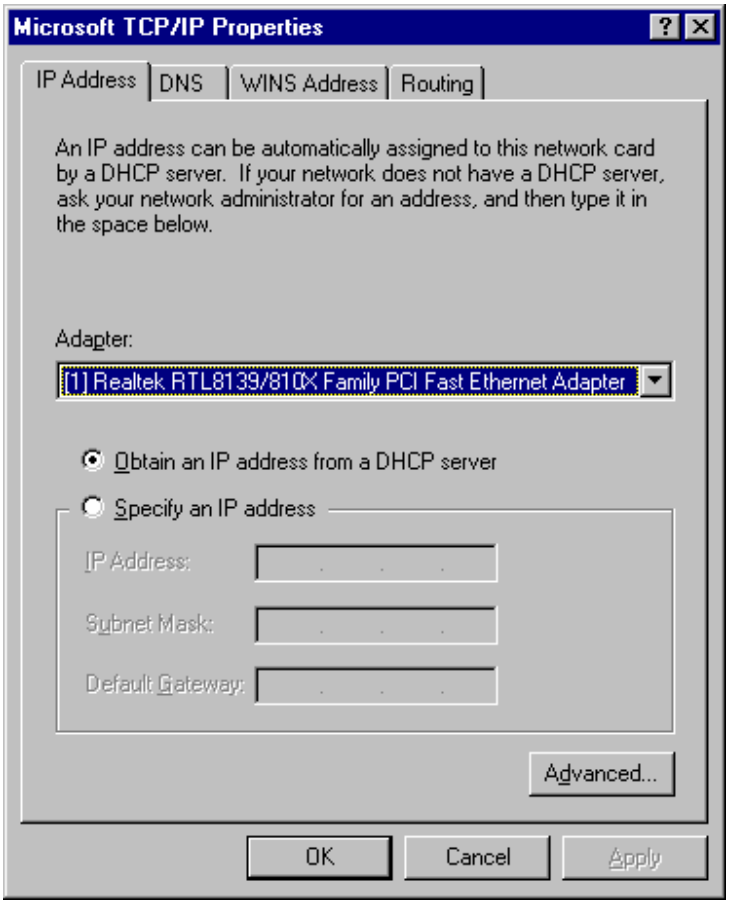
3: Check if the *TCP/IP Protocol* is on your list of *Network Protocols*. If TCP/IP is not installed, click the *Add* button to install it now. If TCP/IP is installed, go to **step 5**.

4: In the *Select Network Protocol* window, select the *TCP/IP Protocol* and click the *Ok* button to start installing the TCP/IP protocol. You may need your Windows CD to complete the installation.

5: After you install TCP/IP, go back to the *Network* window. Select *TCP/IP* from the list of *Network Protocols* and then click the *Properties* button.

6: Check each of the tabs and verify the following settings:

- **IP Address:** Select *Obtain an IP address from a DHCP server*.
- **DNS:** Let all fields are blank.
- **WINS:** Let all fields are blank.
- **Routing:** Let all fields are blank.


Microsoft TCP/IP Properties
IP Address
DNS
WINS Address
Routing
An IP address can be automatically assigned to this network card by a DHCP server. If your network does not have a DHCP server, ask your network administrator for an address, and then type it in the space below.
Adapter:
[1] Realtek RTL8139/810x Family PCI Fast Ethernet Adapter
Obtain an IP address from a DHCP server
Specify an IP address
IP Address:
Subnet Mask:
Default Gateway:
Advanced...
OK
Cancel
Apply

7: Click *OK* to confirm the setting. Your PC will now obtain an IP address automatically from your Broadband Router's DHCP server.

Note: Please make sure that the Broadband router's DHCP server is the only DHCP server available on your LAN.

Once you've configured your PC to obtain an IP address automatically, please proceed to Step 3 (Page 11).

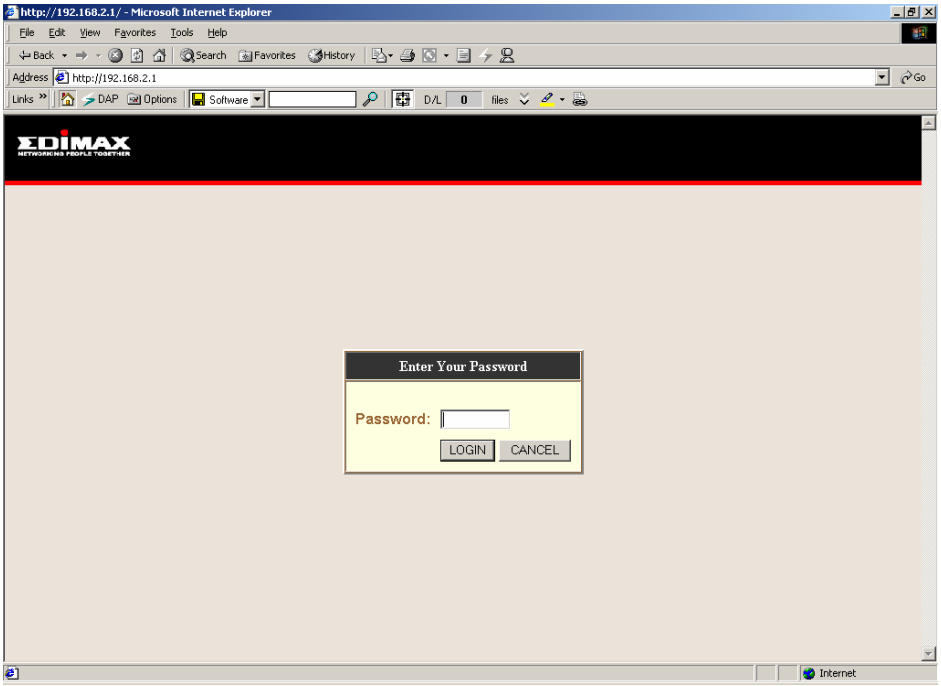
3) Once you have configured your PCs to obtain an IP address automatically, the router's DHCP server will automatically give your LAN clients an IP address. By default the Broadband Router's DHCP server is enabled so that you can obtain an IP address automatically. To see if you have obtained an IP address, see Appendix A.

   Note: Please make sure that the Broadband router's DHCP server is the only DHCP server available on your LAN. If there is another DHCP on your network, then you'll need to switch one of the DHCP servers off. (To disable the Broadband router's DHCP server see chapter 2 LAN Port)

4) Once your PC has obtained an IP address from your router, enter the default IP address **192.168.2.1** (broadband router's IP address) into your PC's web browser and press <enter>

5) The website screen below will appear. This website contains the router's web-based management screens that allows you to configure your broadband router. Click <LOGIN>

   Note: By default there is NO password. For security reasons it is recommended that you input a password as soon as possible (in General setup/system/password, see chapter 2)



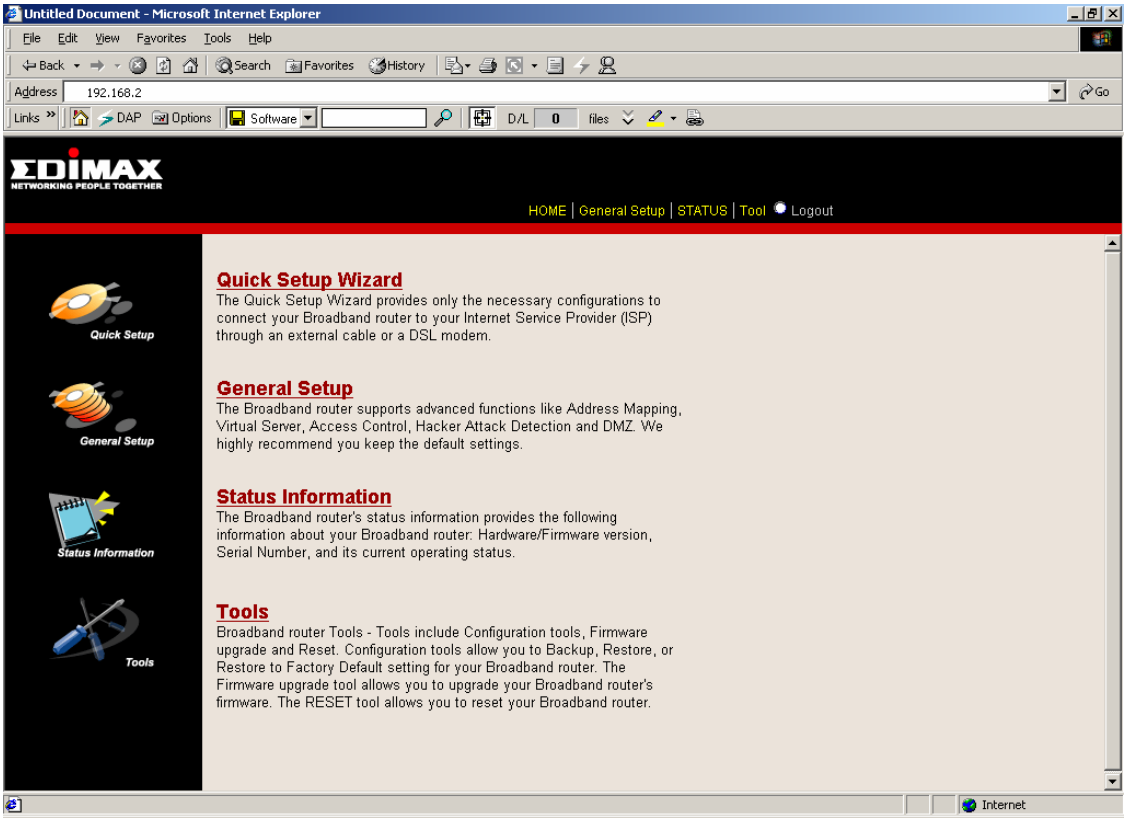
6) The **HOME** page screen below will appear. The **Home** Page is divided into four sections, **Quick Setup Wizard**, **General Setup**, **Status Information** and **Tools.**

Quick Setup Wizard *(Chapter 1)*
If you only want to start using the broadband router as an Internet Access device then you ONLY need to configure the screens in the Quick Setup Wizard section.

General Setup *(Chapter 2)*
If you want to use more advanced features that the broadband router has to offer, then you'll need to configure the Quick Setup Wizard and the General Setup section. Alternatively, you can just configure the General Setup section, since the General Setup/WAN and the Quick Setup Wizard contain the same configurations.

Status Information *(Chapter 3)*
The Status Information section is for you to monitor the router's current status information only.

Tools *(Chapter 4)*
If you want to Reset the router (because of problems) or save your configurations or upgrade the firmware then the Tools section is the place to do this.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HOME | General Setup | STATUS | Tool Logout
Quick Setup
General Setup
Status Information
Tools
Quick Setup Wizard
The Quick Setup Wizard provides only the necessary configurations to connect your Broadband router to your Internet Service Provider (ISP) through an external cable or a DSL modem.
General Setup
The Broadband router supports advanced functions like Address Mapping, Virtual Server, Access Control, Hacker Attack Detection and DMZ. We highly recommend you keep the default settings.
Status Information
The Broadband router's status information provides the following information about your Broadband router: Hardware/Firmware version, Serial Number, and its current operating status.
Tools
Broadband router Tools - Tools include Configuration tools, Firmware upgrade and Reset. Configuration tools allow you to Backup, Restore, or Restore to Factory Default setting for your Broadband router. The Firmware upgrade tool allows you to upgrade your Broadband router's firmware. The RESET tool allows you to reset your Broadband router.
Internet

Menu	Description
Quick Setup Wizard *(Chapter 1)*	Select your Internet connection type and then input the configurations needed to connect to your Internet Service Provider (ISP).
General Setup *(Chapter 2)*	This section contains configurations for the Broadband router's advance functions such as: Bridge, Address Mapping, Virtual Server, Access Control, Hacker Attack Prevention, DMZ, Special applications and other functions to meet your LAN requirements.
Status Information *(Chapter 3)*	In this section you can see the Broadband router's system information, Internet Connection, Device Status, Security Log and DHCP client Log information.
Tools *(Chapter 4)*	This section contains the broadband router's Tools - Tools include Configuration tools, Firmware upgrade and Reset. Configuration tools allow you to Backup (save), Restore, or Restore to Factory Default configuration for your Broadband router. The Firmware upgrade tool allows you to upgrade your Broadband router's firmware. The RESET tool allows you to reset your Broadband router.
Logout	Selecting logout will return you to the LOGIN page

7) Click on **Quick Setup Wizard** (see chapter 1) to start configuring settings required by your ISP so that you can start accessing the Internet. The other sections (General Setup, Status Information and Tools) do not need to be configured unless you wish to implement/monitor more advance features/information.

Select the section (Quick Setup Wizard, General Setup, Status Information and Tools) you wish to configure and proceed to the corresponding chapter. Use the selections on the web management's top right hand page (see below) to navigate around the web-based management User Interface.

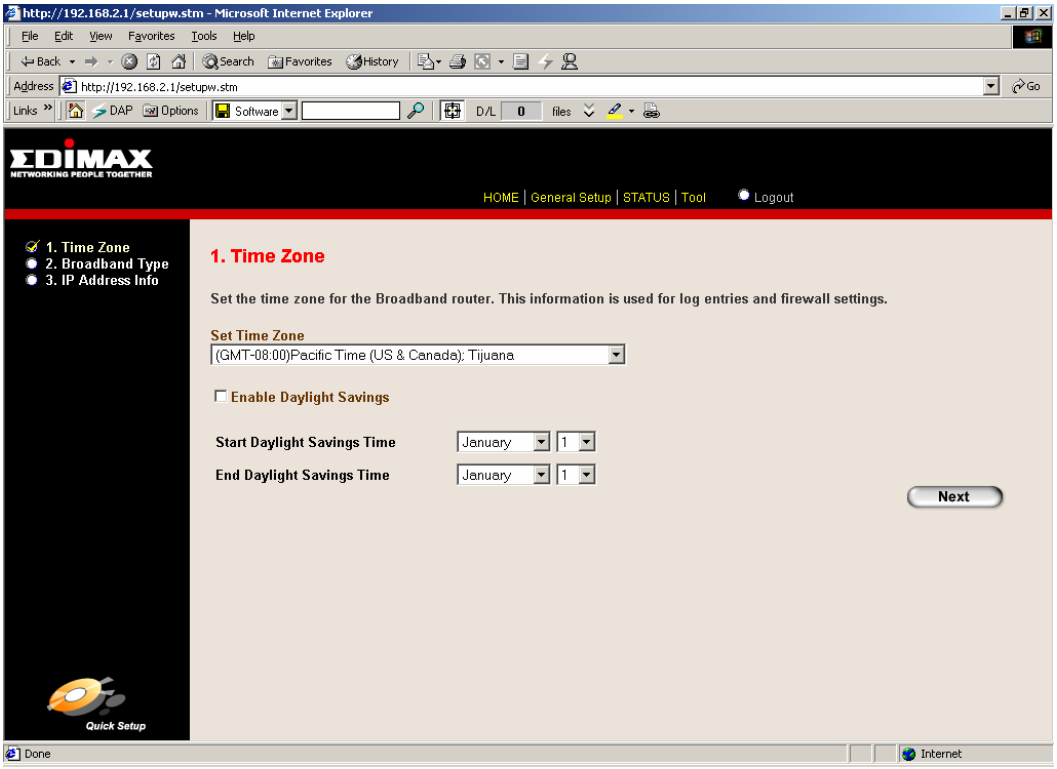
Chapter 1

Quick Setup

The Quick Setup section is designed to get you using the broadband router as quick as possible. In the Quick Setup you are required to fill in only the information necessary to access the Internet. Once you click on the **Quick Setup Wizard** in the HOME page, you should see the screen below.

Step 1) Time Zone

The Time Zone allows your router to base its time on the settings configured here, this will affect functions such as Log entries and Firewall settings.



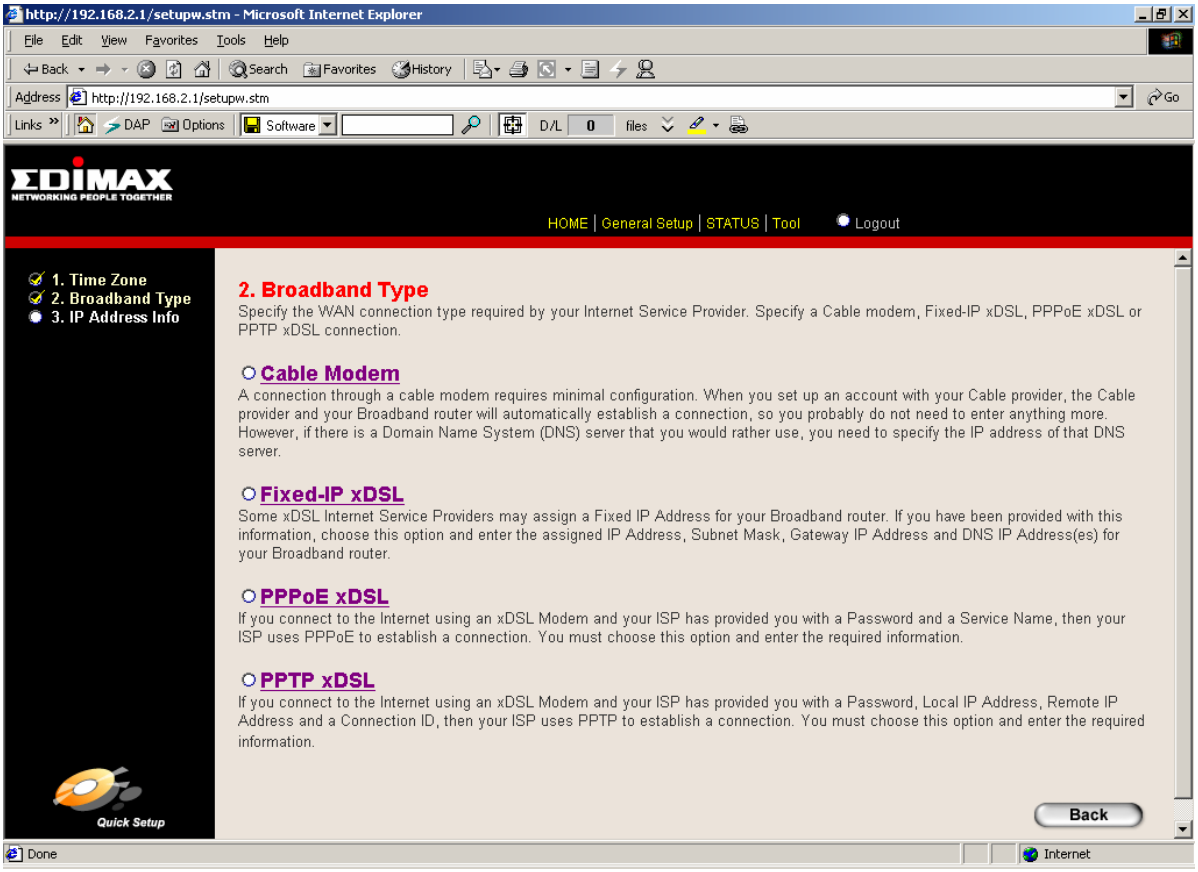
Parameter	Description
Set Time Zone	Select the time zone of the country you are currently in. The router will set its time based on your selection.
Enable Daylight Savings	The router can also take Daylight savings into account. If you wish to use this function, you must check/tick the enable box to enable your daylight saving configuration (below).
Start Daylight Savings Time	Select the period in which you wish to start daylight Savings Time
End Daylight Savings Time	Select the period in which you wish to end daylight Savings Time

Click on **NEXT** to proceed to the next page (step 2) Broadband Type.

Step 2) Broadband Type

In this section you have to select one of four types of connections that you will be using to connect your broadband router's WAN port to your ISP (see screen below).

Note: Different ISP's require different methods of connecting to the Internet, please check with your ISP as to the type of connection it requires.


http://192.168.2.1/setupw.stm - Microsoft Internet Explorer
File Edit View Favorites Tools Help
Back Search Favorites History
Address http://192.168.2.1/setupw.stm
Links DAP Options Software D/L 0 files
EDIMAX
NETWORKING PEOPLE TOGETHER
HOME | General Setup | STATUS | Tool
Logout
1. Time Zone
2. Broadband Type
3. IP Address Info
2. Broadband Type
Specify the WAN connection type required by your Internet Service Provider. Specify a Cable modem, Fixed-IP xDSL, PPPoE xDSL or PPTP xDSL connection.
Cable Modem
A connection through a cable modem requires minimal configuration. When you set up an account with your Cable provider, the Cable provider and your Broadband router will automatically establish a connection, so you probably do not need to enter anything more. However, if there is a Domain Name System (DNS) server that you would rather use, you need to specify the IP address of that DNS server.
Fixed-IP xDSL
Some xDSL Internet Service Providers may assign a Fixed IP Address for your Broadband router. If you have been provided with this information, choose this option and enter the assigned IP Address, Subnet Mask, Gateway IP Address and DNS IP Address(es) for your Broadband router.
PPPoE xDSL
If you connect to the Internet using an xDSL Modem and your ISP has provided you with a Password and a Service Name, then your ISP uses PPPoE to establish a connection. You must choose this option and enter the required information.
PPTP xDSL
If you connect to the Internet using an xDSL Modem and your ISP has provided you with a Password, Local IP Address, Remote IP Address and a Connection ID, then your ISP uses PPTP to establish a connection. You must choose this option and enter the required information.
Quick Setup
Back
Done
Internet

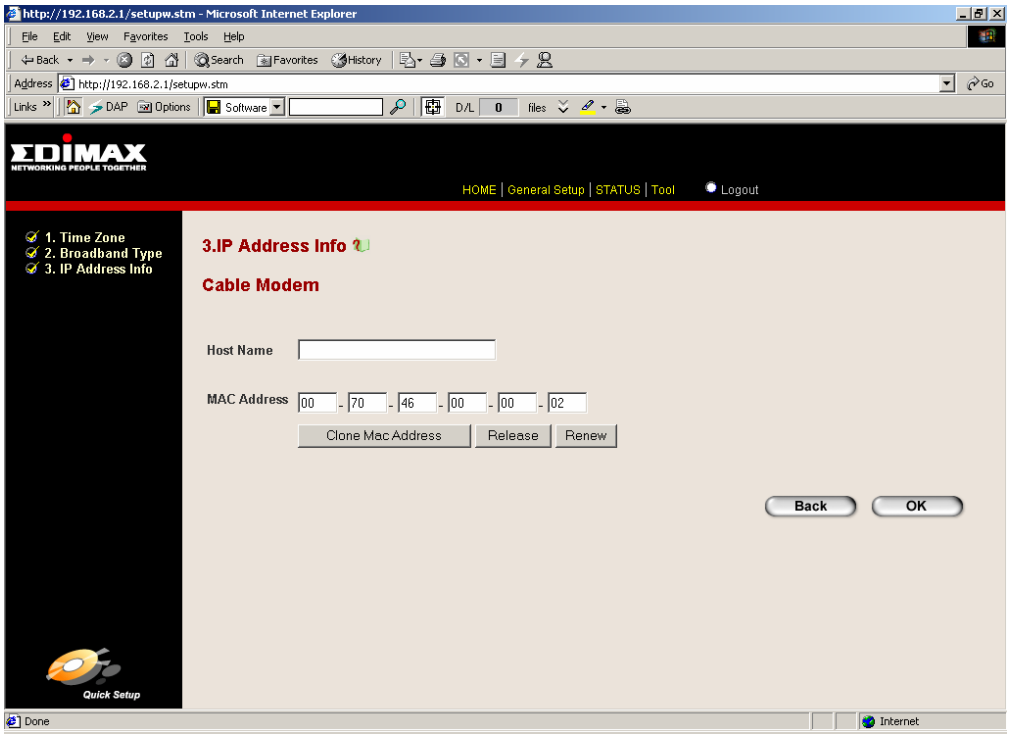
Menu	Description
1.1 Cable Modem	Your ISP will automatically give you an IP address
1.2 Fixed-IP xDSL	Your ISP has given you an IP address already
1.3 PPPoE	Your ISP requires you to use a Point-to-Point Protocol over Ethernet (PPPoE) connection.
1.4 PPTP	Your ISP requires you to use a Point-to-Point Tunneling Protocol (PPTP) connection.

Click on one of the WAN type and then proceed to the manual's relevant sub-section (**1.1**, **1.2**, **1.3** or **1.4**). Click on **Back** to return to the previous screen.

1.1 Cable Modem

Choose Cable Modem if your ISP will automatically give you an IP address. Some ISP's may also require that you fill in additional information such as Host Name and MAC address (see screen below).

Note: The Host Name and MAC address section is *optional* and you can skip this section if your ISP does not require these settings for you to connect to the Internet.

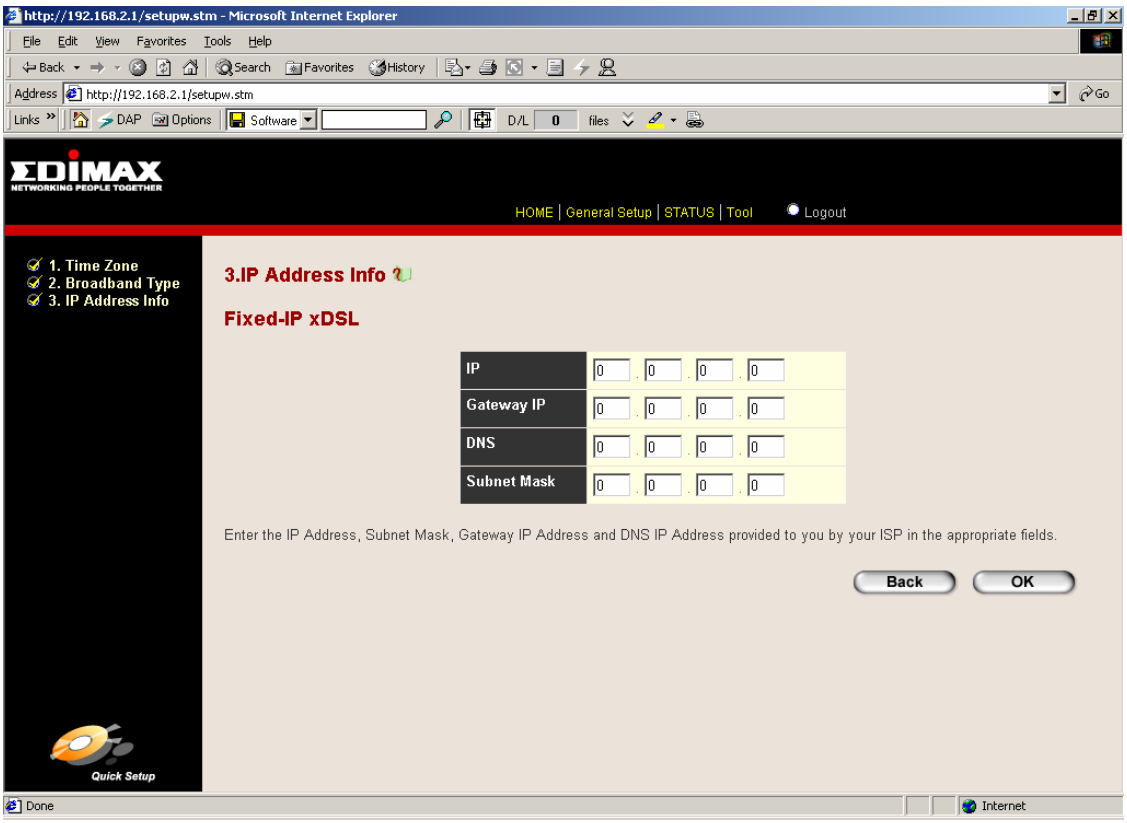


Parameters	Description
Host Name	If your ISP requires a Host Name, type in the host name provided by your ISP, otherwise leave it blank if your ISP does not require a Host Name.
MAC Address	Your ISP may require a particular MAC address in order for you to connect to the Internet. This MAC address is the PC's MAC address that your ISP had originally connected your Internet connection to. Type in this MAC address in this section or use the **Clone MAC Address** button to replace the WAN MAC address with the MAC address of that PC (you have to be using that PC for the Clone MAC Address button to work). If necessary, you can use the **Release** and **Renew** buttons to release and renew the WAN IP address. To find out the PC's MAC address see Appendix A. (see Glossary for an explanation on MAC address)

Click <**OK>** when you have finished the configuration above. **Congratulations**! You have completed the configuration for the Cable Modem connection. You can start using the router now, if you wish to use some of the advance features supported by this router see chapter 2, 3, 4.

1.2 Fixed-IP xDSL

Select Fixed-IP xDSL if your ISP has given you a specific IP address for you to use. Your ISP should provide all the information required in this section.

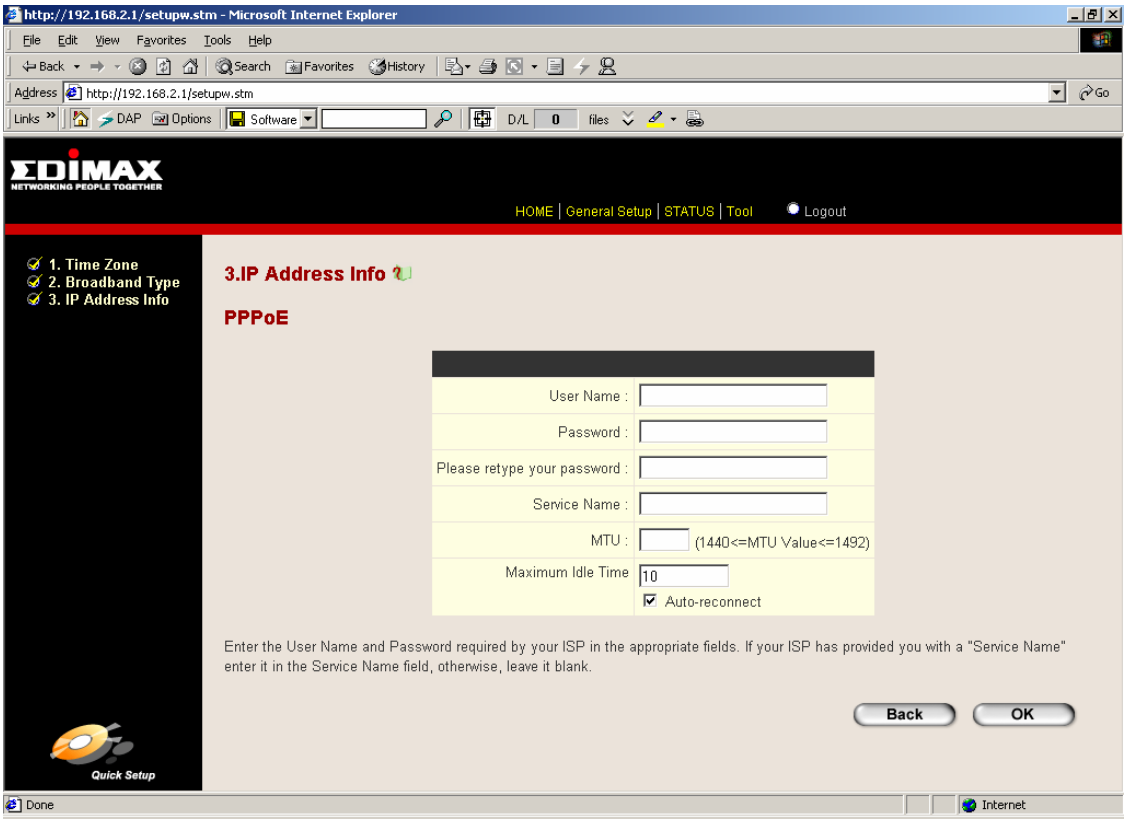


Parameters	Description
IP	This is the IP address that your ISP has given you.
Gateway IP	This is the ISP's IP address gateway
DNS	This is the ISP's DNS server IP address
Subnet Mask	Enter the Subnet Mask provided by your ISP (e.g. 255.255.255.0)

Click <**OK>** when you have finished the configuration above. **Congratulations**! You have completed the configuration for the Fixed-IP x DSL connection. You can start using the router now, if you wish to use some of the advance features supported by this router see chapter 2, 3, 4.

1.3 PPPoE

Select PPPoE if your ISP requires the PPPoE protocol to connect you to the Internet. Your ISP should provide all the information required in this section.



Parameter	Description
User Name	Enter the User Name provided by your ISP for the PPPoE connection
Password	Enter the Password provided by your ISP for the PPPoE connection
Please retype your password	Type in the Password again to re-confirm
Service Name	This is optional. Enter the Service name should your ISP requires it, otherwise leave it blank.
MTU	This is optional. You can specify the maximum size of your transmission packet to the Internet. Leave it as it is if you to not wish to set a maximum packet size.

Maximum Idle Time	You can specify an idle time threshold (minutes) for the WAN port. This means if no packets have been sent (no one using the Internet) during this specified period, the router will automatically disconnect the connection with your ISP. Note: Idle time “0” means no time out, e.g. no time restriction (always On)
Auto-reconnect	If you check the Auto-reconnect function, then when the WAN connection is disconnected the router will automatically re-connect when there is a request by a user to access the Internet

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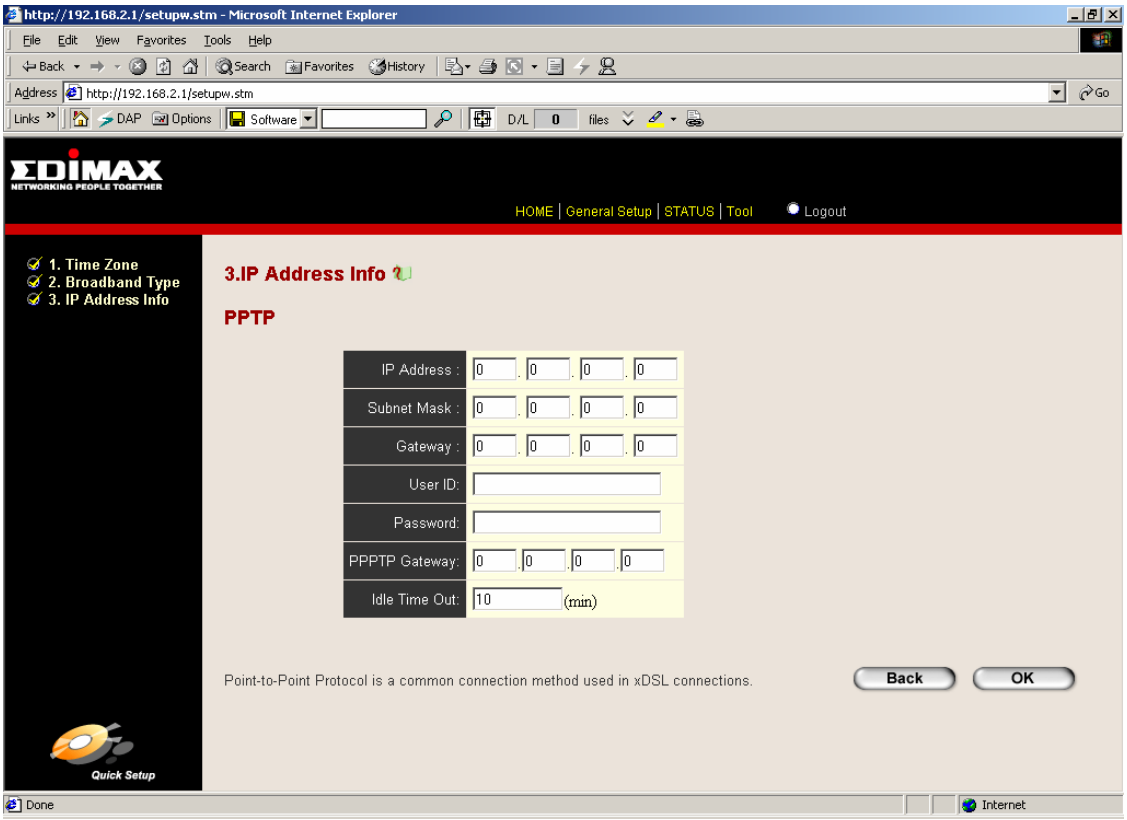
Click <**OK>** when you have finished the configuration above. **Congratulations**! You have completed the configuration for the PPPoE connection. You can start using the router now, if you wish to use some of the advance features supported by this router see chapter 2, 3, 4.

1.4 PPTP

Select PPTP if your ISP requires the PPTP protocol to connect you to the Internet. Your ISP should provide all the information required in this section.



Parameter	Description
IP Address	This is the IP address that your ISP has given you to establish a PPTP connection.
Subnet Mask	Enter the Subnet Mask provided by your ISP (e.g. 255.255.255.0)
Gateway	Enter the IP address of the ISP Gateway
User ID	Enter the User Name provided by your ISP for the PPTP connection. Sometimes called a Connection ID
Password	Enter the Password provided by your ISP for the PPTP connection
PPTP Gateway	If your LAN has a PPTP gateway, then enter that PPTP gateway IP address here. If you do not have a PPTP gateway then enter the ISP's Gateway IP address above

Idle Time	You can specify an idle time threshold (minutes) for the WAN port. This means if no packets have been sent (no one using the Internet) throughout this specified period, then the router will automatically disconnect the connection with your ISP. Note: Idle time “0” means no time out, e.g. no time restriction (always On)

Click <**OK>** when you have finished the configuration above. **Congratulations**! You have completed the configuration for the PPTP connection. You can start using the router now, if you wish to use some of the advance features supported by this router see chapter 2, 3, 4.

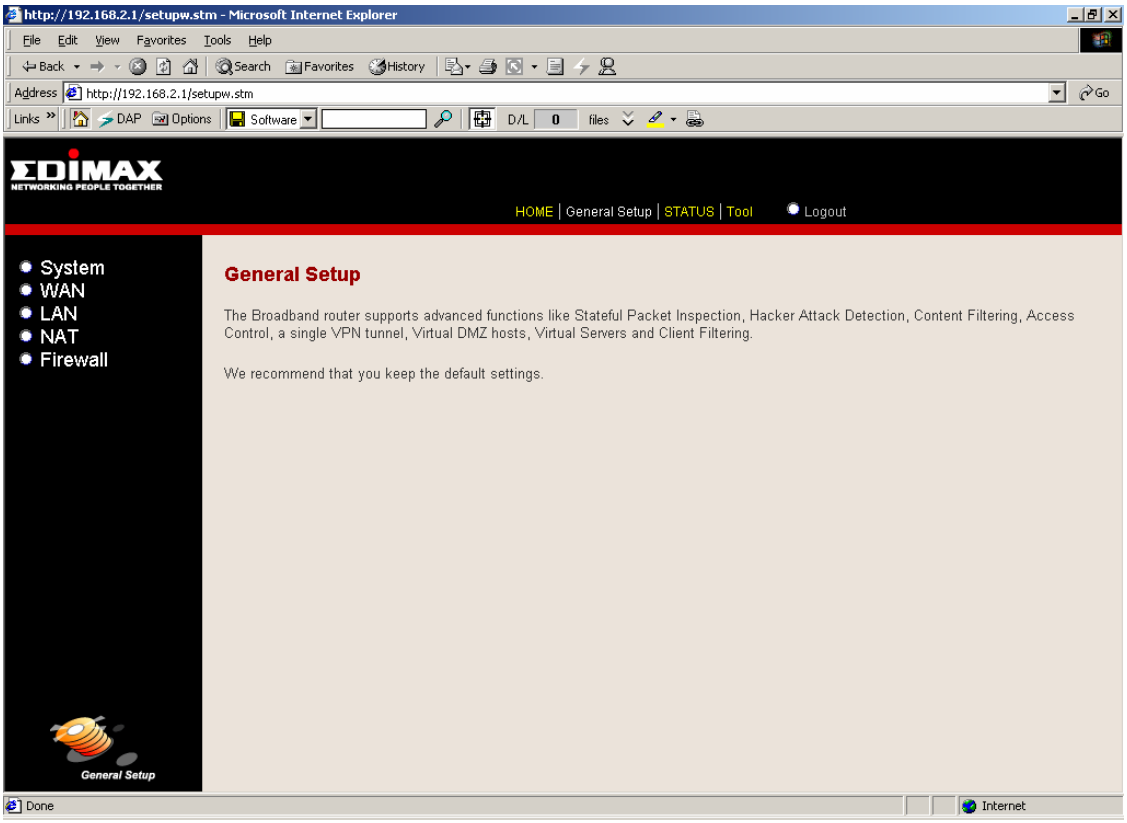
Chapter 2

General Settings

Once you click on the **General Setup** button at the Home Page, you should see the screen below.

If you have already configured the Quick Setup Wizard you do NOT need to configure anything thing in the General Setup screen for you to start using the Internet.

The General Setup contain advanced features that allow you to configure the router to meet your network's needs such as: Wireless, Bridge, Address Mapping, Virtual Server, Access Control, Hacker Attack Prevention, Special Applications, DMZ and other functions.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The Broadband router supports advanced functions like Stateful Packet Inspection, Hacker Attack Detection, Content Filtering, Access Control, a single VPN tunnel, Virtual DMZ hosts, Virtual Servers and Client Filtering.
We recommend that you keep the default settings.
Done
Internet

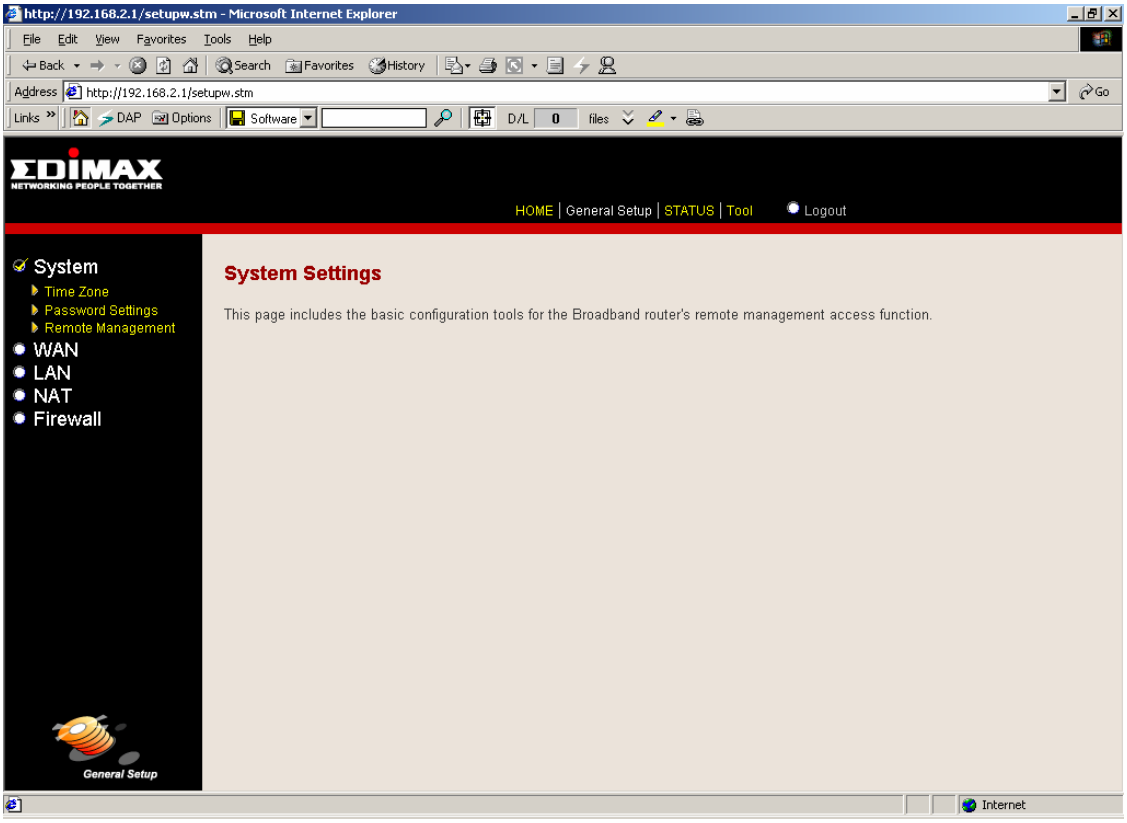
Below is a general description of what advance functions are available for this broadband router.

Menu	Description
2.1 System	This section allows you to set the Broadband router's system Time Zone, Password and Remote Management Administrator.
2.2 WAN	This section allows you to select the connection method in order to establish a connection with your ISP (same as the Quick Setup Wizard section)
2.3 LAN	You can specify the LAN segment's IP address, subnet Mask, enable/disable DHCP and select an IP range for your LAN. You also can configure print server here.
2.4 NAT	You can configure the Address Mapping, Virtual Server and Special Applications functions in this section. This allows you to specify what user/packet can pass your router's NAT.
2.5 Firewall	The Firewall section allows you to configure Access Control, Hacker Prevention and DMZ.

Select one of the above five General Setup selections and proceed to the manual's relevant sub-section

2.1 System

The system screen allows you to specify a time zone, to change the system password and to specify a remote management user for the broadband router.

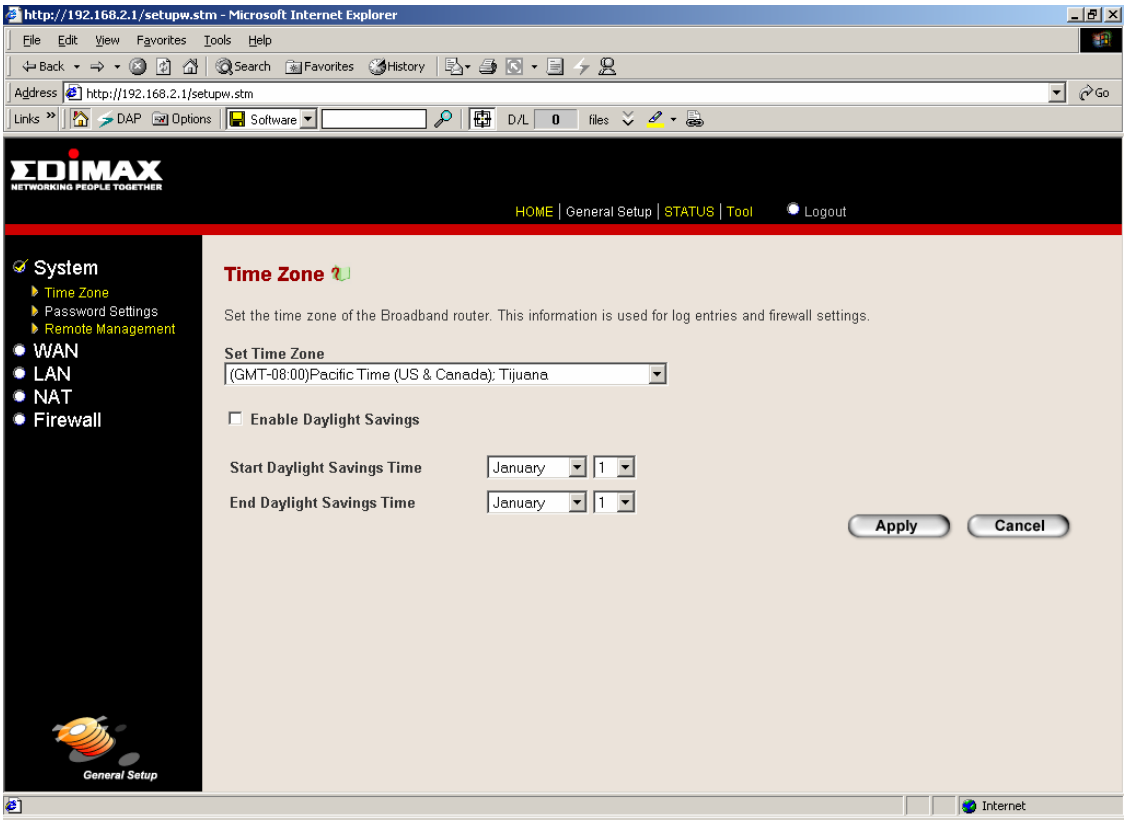


Parameters	Description
System Settings	
2.1.1 Time Zone	Select the time zone of the country you are currently in. The router will set its time based on your selection.
2.1.2 Password Settings	Allows you to select a password in order to access the web-based management website.
2.1.3 Remote Management	You can specify a Host IP address that can perform remote management functions.

Select one of the above three system settings selections and proceed to the manual's relevant sub-section

2.1.1 Time Zone

The Time Zone allows your router to reference or base its time on the settings configured here, which will affect functions such as Log entries and Firewall settings.

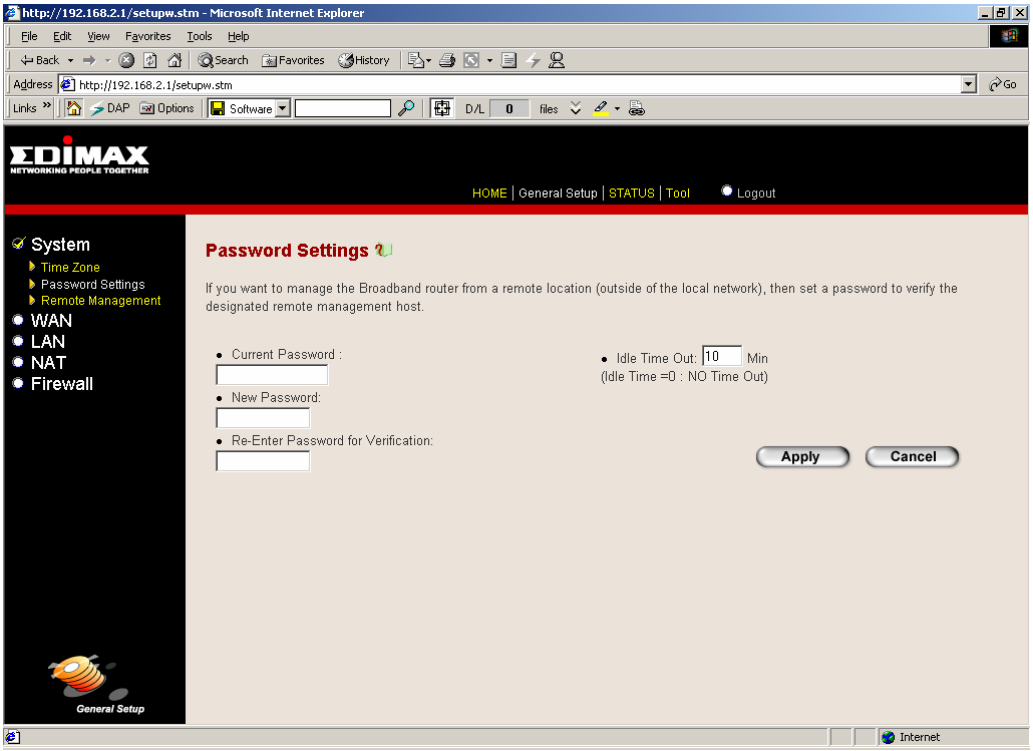


Parameter	Description
Set Time Zone	Select the time zone of the country you are currently in. The router will set its time based on your selection.
Enable Daylight Savings	The router can also take Daylight savings into account. If you wish to use this function, you must check/tick the enable box to enable your daylight saving configuration (below).
Start Daylight Savings Time	Select the period in which you wish to start daylight Savings Time
End Daylight Savings Time	Select the period in which you wish to end daylight Savings Time

Click **<Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

2.1.2 Password Settings

You can change the password required to log into the broadband router's system web-based management. By default, there is no password. So please assign a password to the Administrator as soon as possible, and store it in a safe place. Passwords can contain 0 to 12 alphanumeric characters, and are case sensitive.

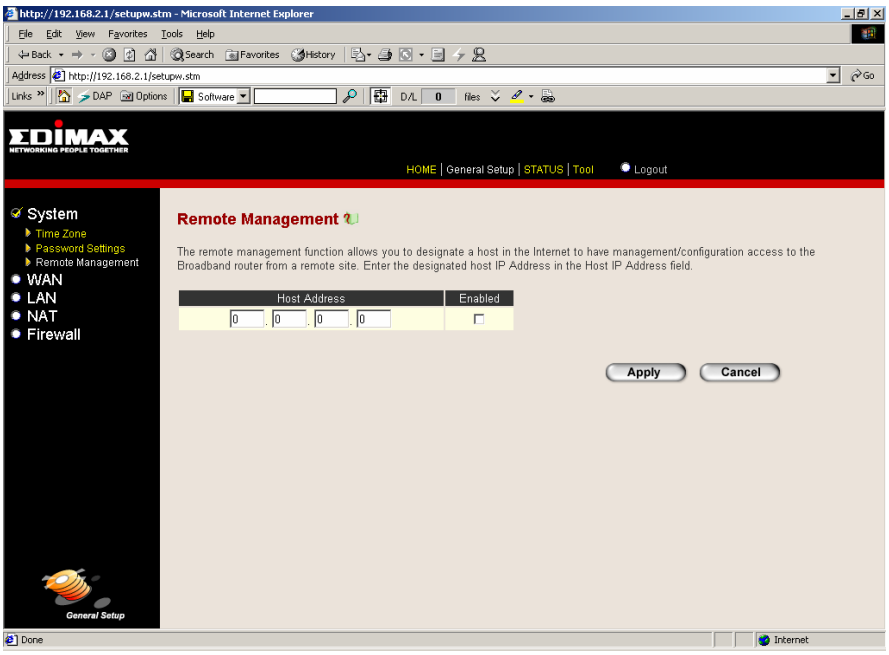


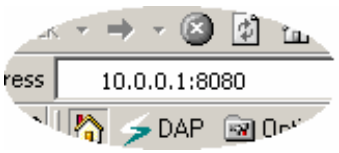
Parameters	Description
Current Password	Enter your current password for the remote management administrator to login to your Broadband router. Note: By default there is NO password
New Password	Enter your new password
Re-Enter Password for Verification	Enter your new password again for verification purposes **Note**: If you forget your password, you'll have to reset the router to the factory default (No password) with the reset button (see router's back panel)
Idle Time Out	Login Connections (login to web-based management) without any activity that go beyond this specified period (minutes) will automatically disconnect the web-based management. Note: Idle time "0" means no time out, e.g. no time restriction

Click **<Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

2.1.3 Remote Management

The remote management function allows you to designate a host in the Internet the ability to configure the Broadband router from a remote site. Enter the designated host IP Address in the Host IP Address field.

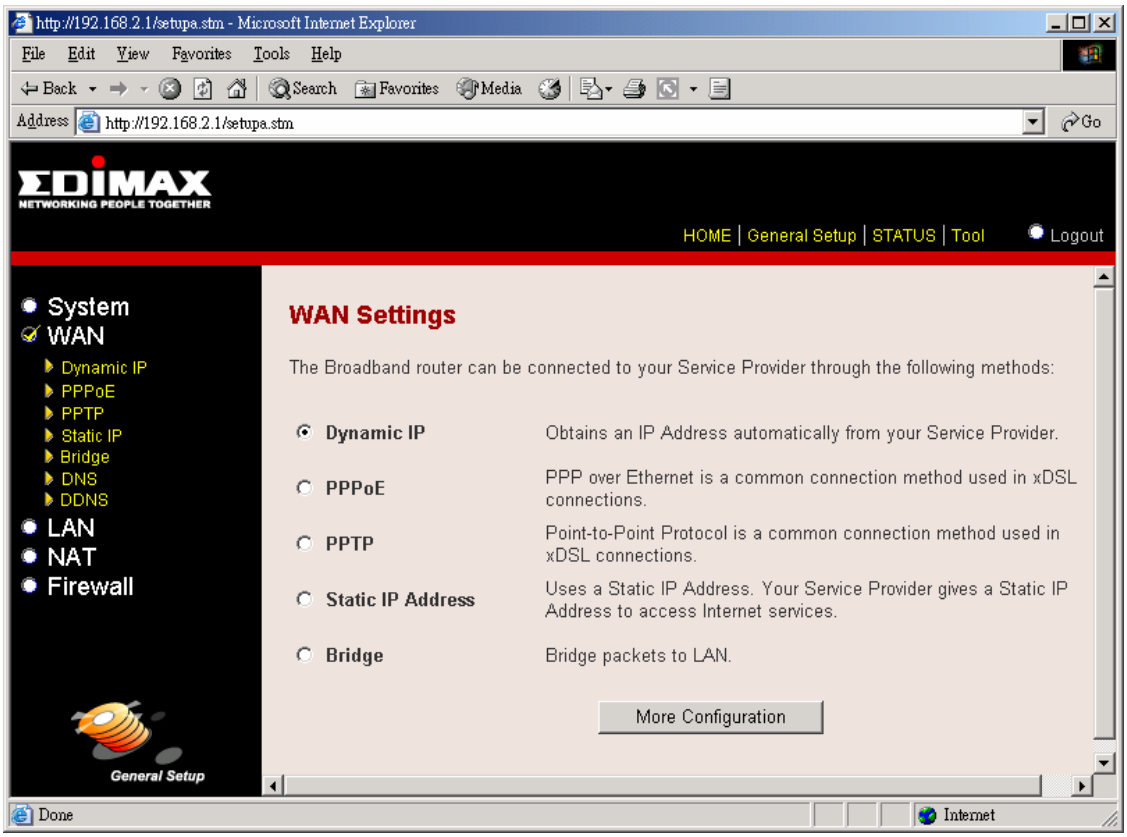


Parameters	Description
Host Address	This is the IP address of the host in the Internet that will have management/configuration access to the Broadband router from a remote site. This means if you are at home and your home IP address has been designated the Remote Management host IP address for this router (located in your company office), then you are able to configure this router from your home. If the Host Address is left **0.0.0.0** this means anyone can access the router's web-based configuration from a remote location, providing they know the password. Click the **Enabled** box to enable the Remote Management function. **Note**: When you want to access the web-based management from a remote site, you must enter the router's WAN IP address (e.g. 10.0.0.1) into your web-browser followed by port number 8080, e.g. 10.0.0.1:8080 (see below). You'll also need to know the password set in the Password Setting screen in order to access the router's web-based management. 

Click <**Apply**> at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

2.2 WAN

Use the WAN Settings screen if you have already configured the Quick Setup Wizard section and you would like to change your Internet connection type. The WAN Settings screen allows you to specify the type of WAN port connect you want to establish with your ISP. In the WAN Settings screen you can also specify the router to act as a Bridge. The WAN settings offer the following selections for the router's WAN port, **Dynamic IP**, **PPPoE**, **PPTP**, **Static IP**, **Bridge**, **DNS** and **DDNS**.



Parameters	Description
2.2.1 Dynamic IP	Your ISP will automatically give you an IP address
2.2.2 PPPoE	Your ISP requires PPPoE connection.
2.2.3 PPTP	Your ISP requires you to use a Point-to-Point Tunneling Protocol (PPTP) connection.
2.2.4 Static IP	Your ISP has given you an IP address already
2.2.5 Bridge	The router can be used as a bridge between LANs
2.2.6 DNS	You can specify a DNS server that you wish to use

2.2.7 DDNS	You can specify a DDNS server that you wish to use and configure the user name and password provided by you DDNS service provider.

Once you have made a selection, click <**More Configuration>** at the bottom of the screen and proceed to the manual's relevant sub-section

2.2.1 Dynamic IP

Choose the Dynamic IP selection if your ISP will automatically give you an IP address. Some ISP's may also require that you fill in additional information such as Host Name, Domain Name and MAC address (see chapter 1 "Cable Modem" for more detail)

2.2.2 PPPoE (PPP over Ethernet)

Select PPPoE if your ISP requires the PPPoE protocol to connect you to the Internet. Your ISP should provide all the information required in this section. (See chapter 1 "PPPoE" for more detail)

2.2.3 PPTP

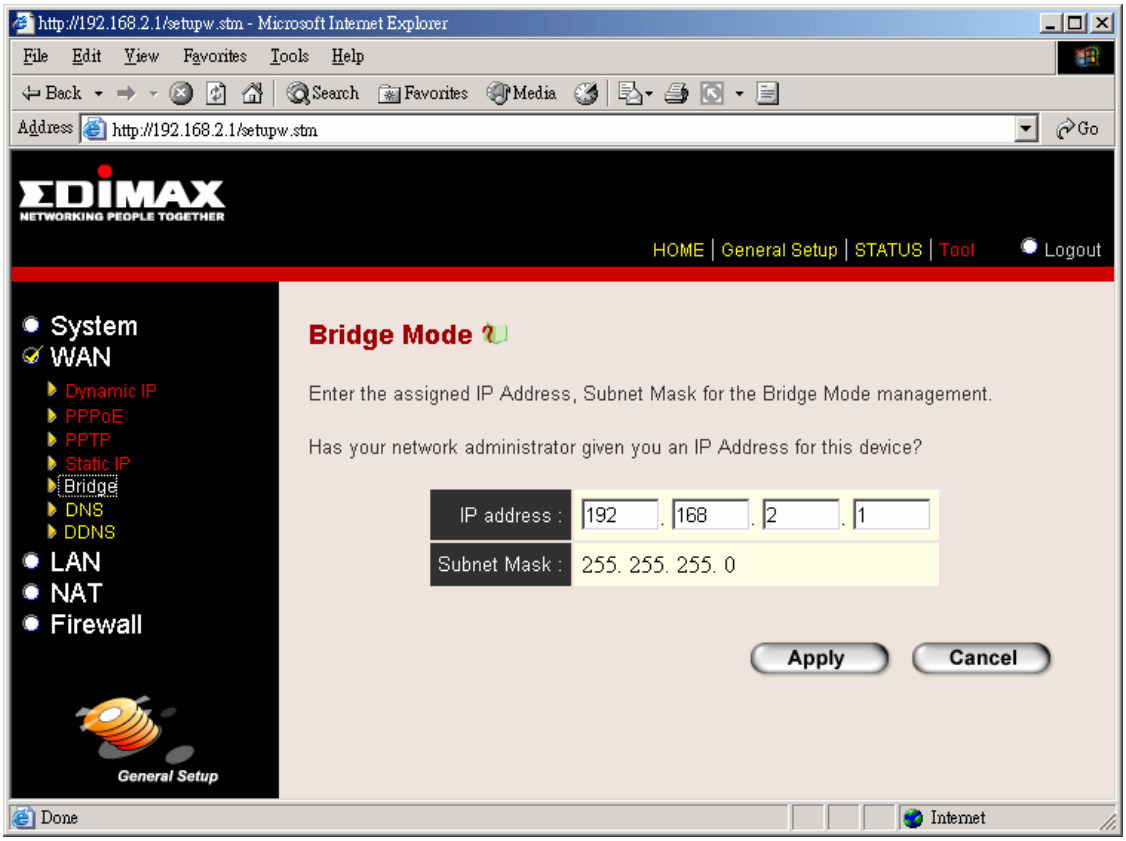
Select PPTP if your ISP requires the PPTP protocol to connect you to the Internet. Your ISP should provide all the information required in this section. (See chapter 1 "PPTP" for more detail)

2.2.4 Static IP

Select Static IP address if your ISP has given you a specific IP address for you to use. Your ISP should provide all the information required in this section. (See chapter 1 "Fixed IP" for more detail)

2.2.5 Bridge

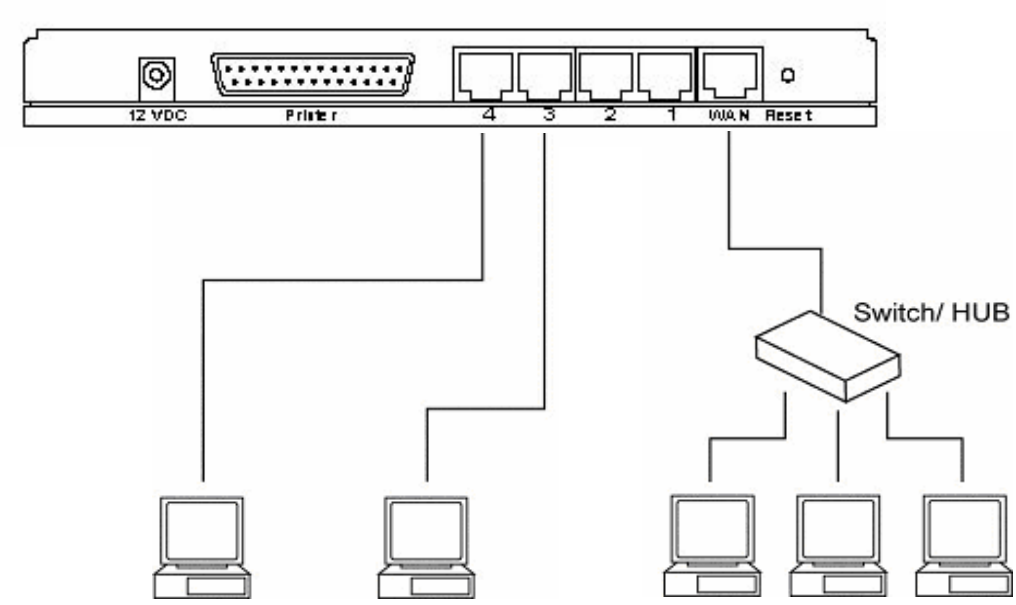
The bridge mode screen allows you to set your Broadband router to bridge mode and allows you to assign an IP address for management purposes. When the bridge mode is selected, the router in effect becomes a switch, transferring packets from the WAN port to the LAN port and vice versa without any NAT involvement. In bridge mode, the original WAN MAC is ignored, and the original LAN MAC address will be used as the MAC address. These values will be restored when you set the device to operating modes other than the bridge mode.



Parameters	Description
IP address	Enter an IP Address for the Bridge Mode. This IP address allows you to access the web-based management should you decide to switch back to the router mode.
Subnet Mask	The Subnet Mask for the Bridge Mode management

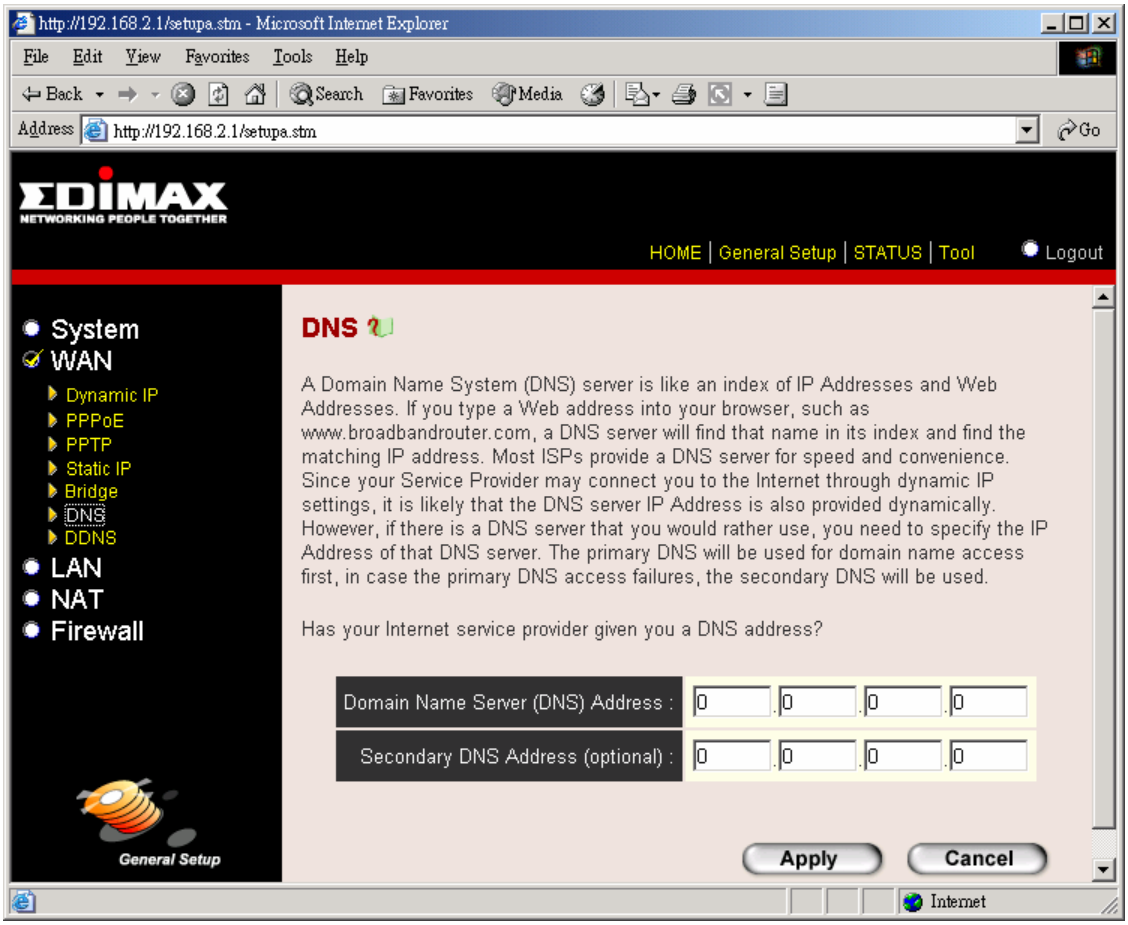
Click **<Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

Example: Bridge Mode
The diagram below demonstrates how the Bridge mode can be used. The router basically becomes a hub/switch allowing you to connect LAN clients to your Local Area Network.



2.2.6 DNS

A Domain Name System (DNS) server is like an index of IP addresses and Web addresses. If you type a Web address into your browser, such as www.router.com, a DNS server will find that name in its index and the matching IP address. Most ISPs provide a DNS server for speed and convenience. If your Service Provider connects you to the Internet with dynamic IP settings, it is likely that the DNS server IP address is provided automatically. However, if there is a DNS server that you would rather use, you need to specify the IP address of that DNS server here.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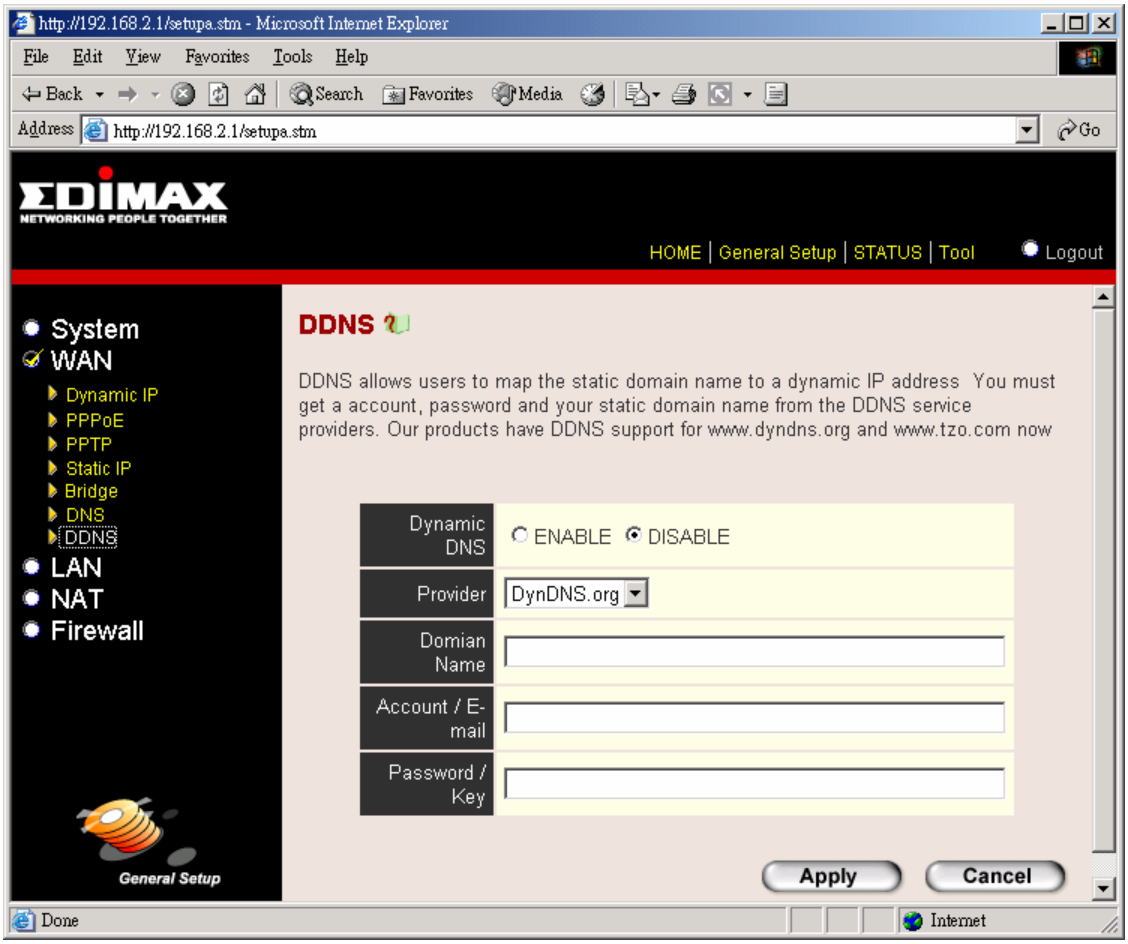
Has your Internet service provider given you a DNS address?
Domain Name Server (DNS) Address :
Secondary DNS Address (optional) :
Apply
Cancel
Internet

Parameters	Description
Domain Name Server (DNS) Server	This is the ISP's DNS server IP address that they gave you; or you can specify your own preferred DNS server IP address
Secondary DNS Address (optional)	This is optional. You can enter another DNS server's IP address as a backup. The secondary DNS will be used should the above DNS fail.

Click **<Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

2.2.7 DDNS

DDNS allows you to map the static domain name to a dynamic IP address. You must get an account, password and your static domain name from the DDNS service providers. This router supports DynDNS and TZO.

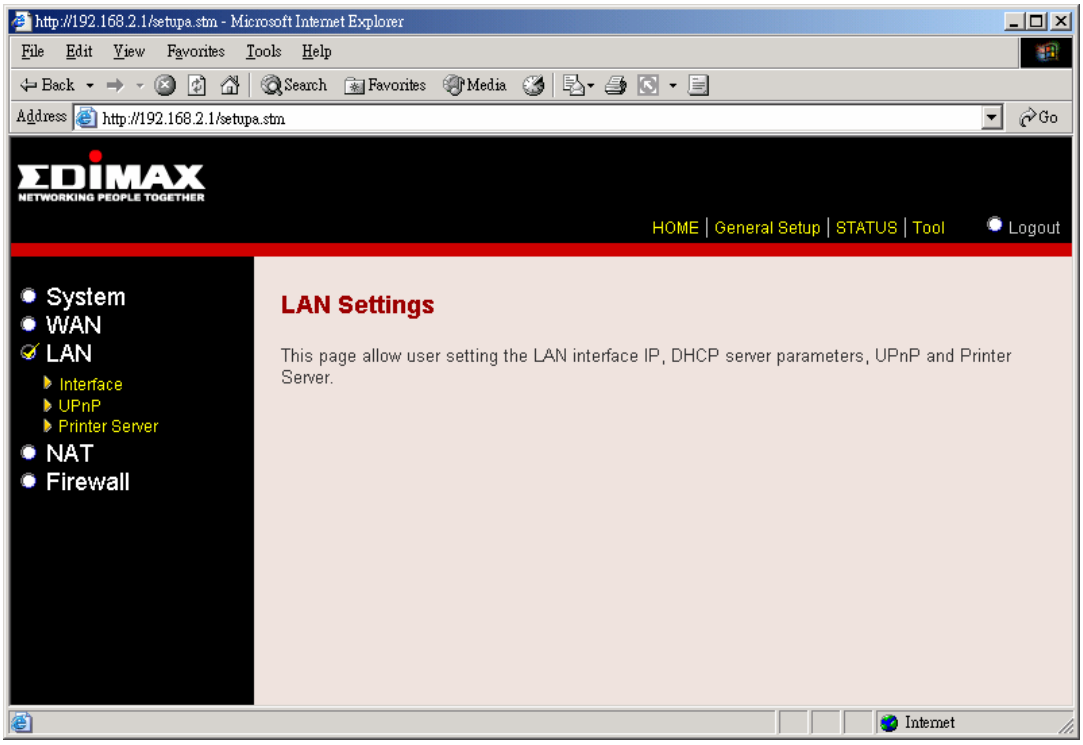


Parameters	Default	Description
Enable/Disable	Disable	Enable/Disable the DDNS function of this router
Provider	DynDNS	Select a DDNS service provider
Domain name		Your static domain name that use DDNS
Account/E-mail		The account that your DDNS service provider assigned to you
Password/Key		The password you set for the DDNS service account above

Click <**Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

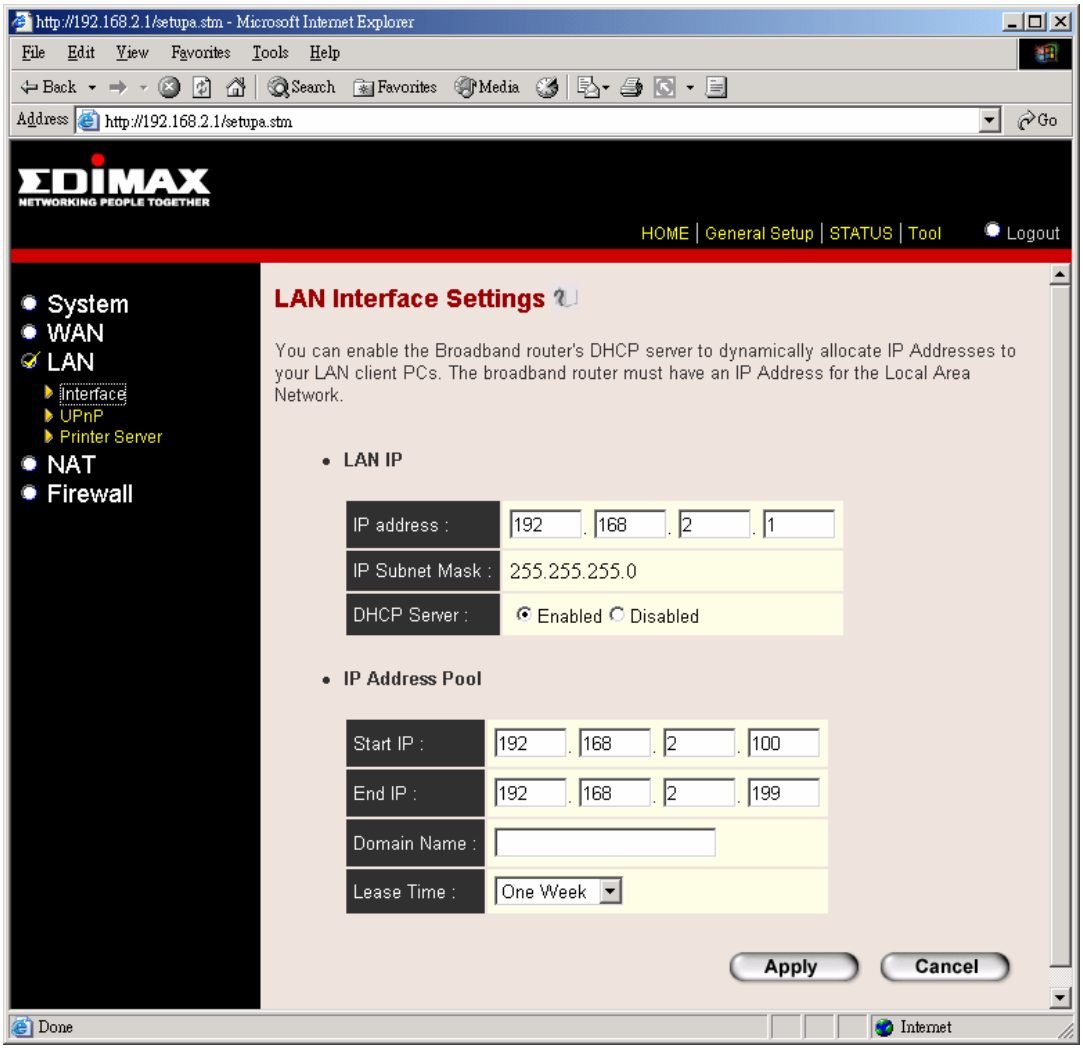
2.3 LAN

The LAN allows you to setup the LAN Interface IP, DHCP Server parameters, UPnP and Print Server.



2.3.1 Interface

The LAN Port screen below allows you to specify a private IP address for your router's LAN ports as well as a subnet mask for your LAN segment.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LAN Interface Settings
You can enable the Broadband router's DHCP server to dynamically allocate IP Addresses to your LAN client PCs. The broadband router must have an IP Address for the Local Area Network.
LAN IP
IP address : 192 . 168 . 2 . 1
IP Subnet Mask : 255.255.255.0
DHCP Server : Enabled Disabled
IP Address Pool
Start IP : 192 . 168 . 2 . 100
End IP : 192 . 168 . 2 . 199
Domain Name :
Lease Time : One Week
Apply
Cancel
Done
Internet

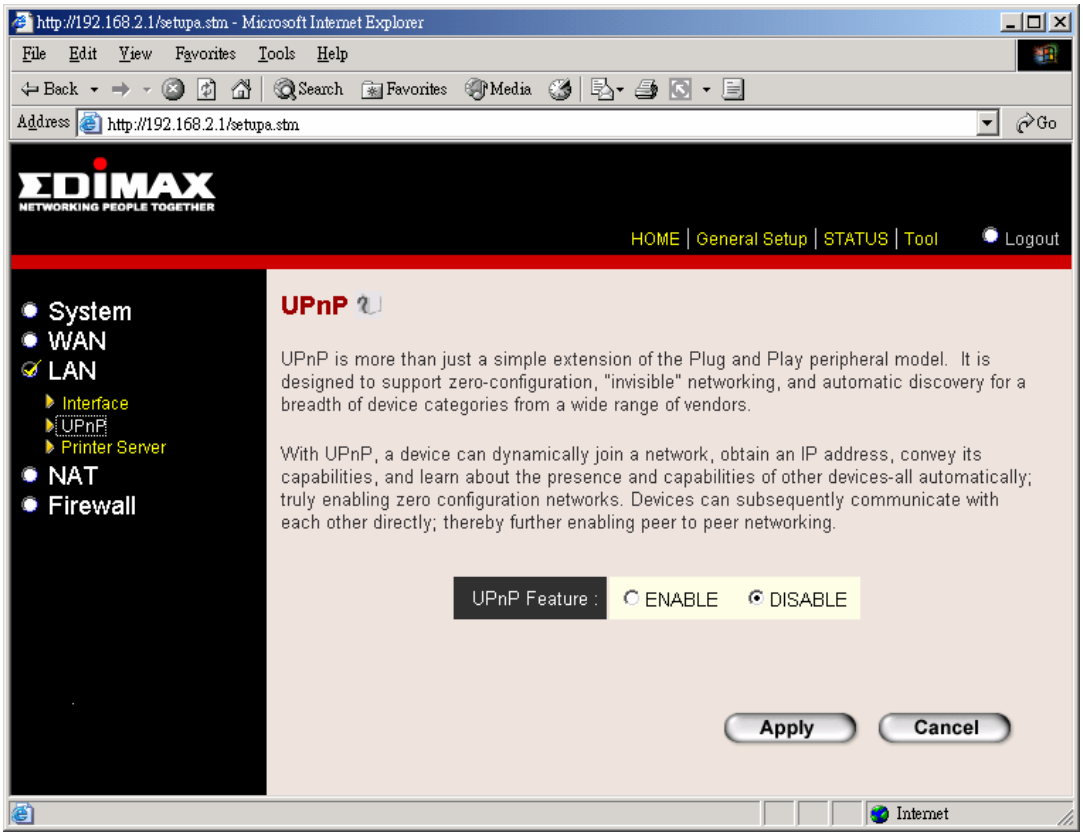
Parameters	Default	Description
LAN IP		
IP address	192.168.2.1	This is the router's LAN port IP address (Your LAN clients default gateway IP address)
IP Subnet Mask	255.255.255.0	Specify a Subnet Mask for your LAN segment
DHCP Server	Enabled	You can enable or disable the DHCP server. By enabling the DHCP server the router will automatically give your LAN clients an IP address. If the DHCP is not enabled then you'll have to manually set your LAN client's IP addresses; make sure the LAN Client is in the

	same subnet as this broadband router if you want the router to be your LAN client's default gateway
IP Address Pool	You can select a particular IP address range for your DHCP server to issue IP addresses to your LAN Clients. **Note:** By default the IP range is from: Start IP **192.168.2.100** to End IP **192.168.2.199**. If you want your PC to have a static/fixed IP address then you'll have to choose an IP address outside this IP address Pool
Domain Name	You can specify a Domain Name for your LAN
Lease Time	The DHCP when enabled will temporarily give your LAN clients an IP address. In the Lease Time setting you can specify the time period that the DHCP lends an IP address to your LAN clients. The DHCP will change your LAN client's IP address when this time threshold period is reached

Click <**Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

2.3.2 UPnP

With UPnP, all PCs in you Intranet will discover this router automatically. So you do not have to do any configuration for your PC and can access the Internet through this router easily.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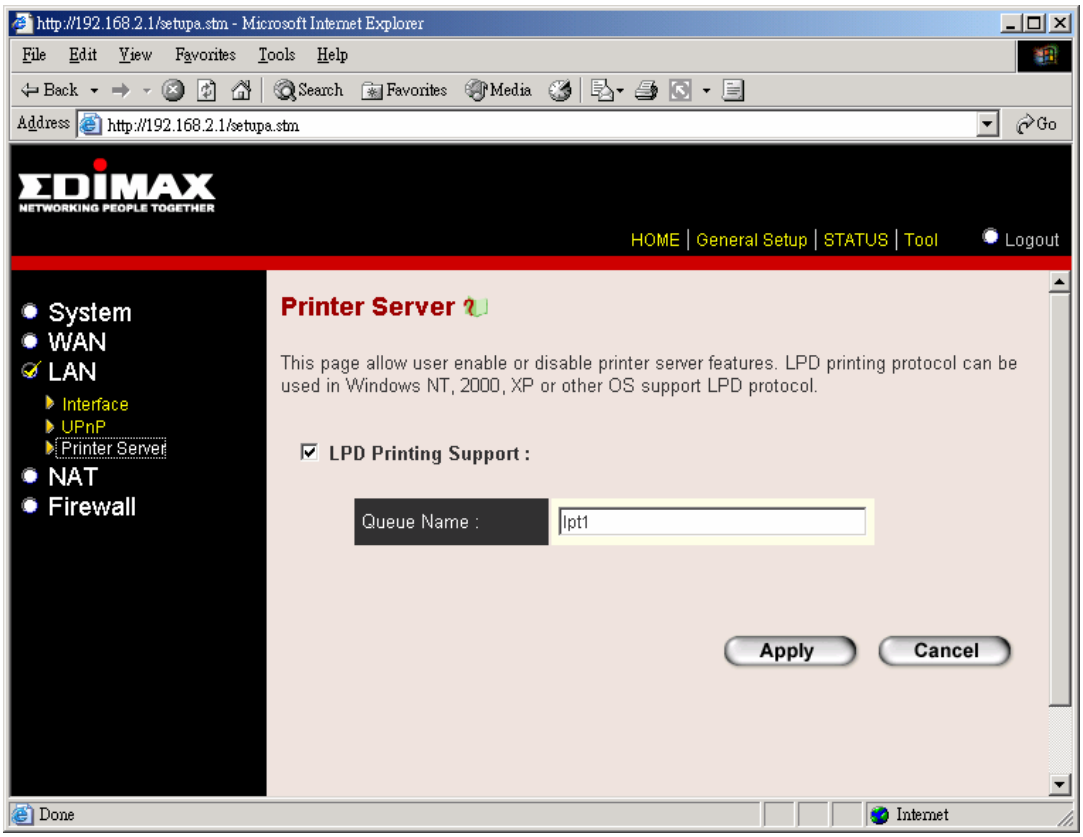
UPnP is more than just a simple extension of the Plug and Play peripheral model. It is designed to support zero-configuration, "invisible" networking, and automatic discovery for a breadth of device categories from a wide range of vendors.
With UPnP, a device can dynamically join a network, obtain an IP address, convey its capabilities, and learn about the presence and capabilities of other devices-all automatically; truly enabling zero configuration networks. Devices can subsequently communicate with each other directly; thereby further enabling peer to peer networking.
UPnP Feature :
ENABLE
DISABLE
Apply
Cancel
Internet

Parameters	Default	Description
UPnP Feature	Disable	You can Enable or Disable UPnP feature here. After you enable the UPnP feature, all client systems that support UPnP, like Windows XP, can discover this router automatically and access the Internet through this router without any configuration. The NAT Traversal function provided by UPnP can let applications that support UPnP smoothly connect to Internet sites without any incompatibility problem due to the NAPT port translation.

Click <**Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

2.3.3 Print Server

The router provides Print Server function that can let you share a printer to all PCs in your Intranet. It supports LPD printing protocol. LPD printing protocol can be used in Windows, Linux and other OS that provide LPD printing. For Windows users, we provide a print server network driver. You have to install the driver before using the router as a print server.

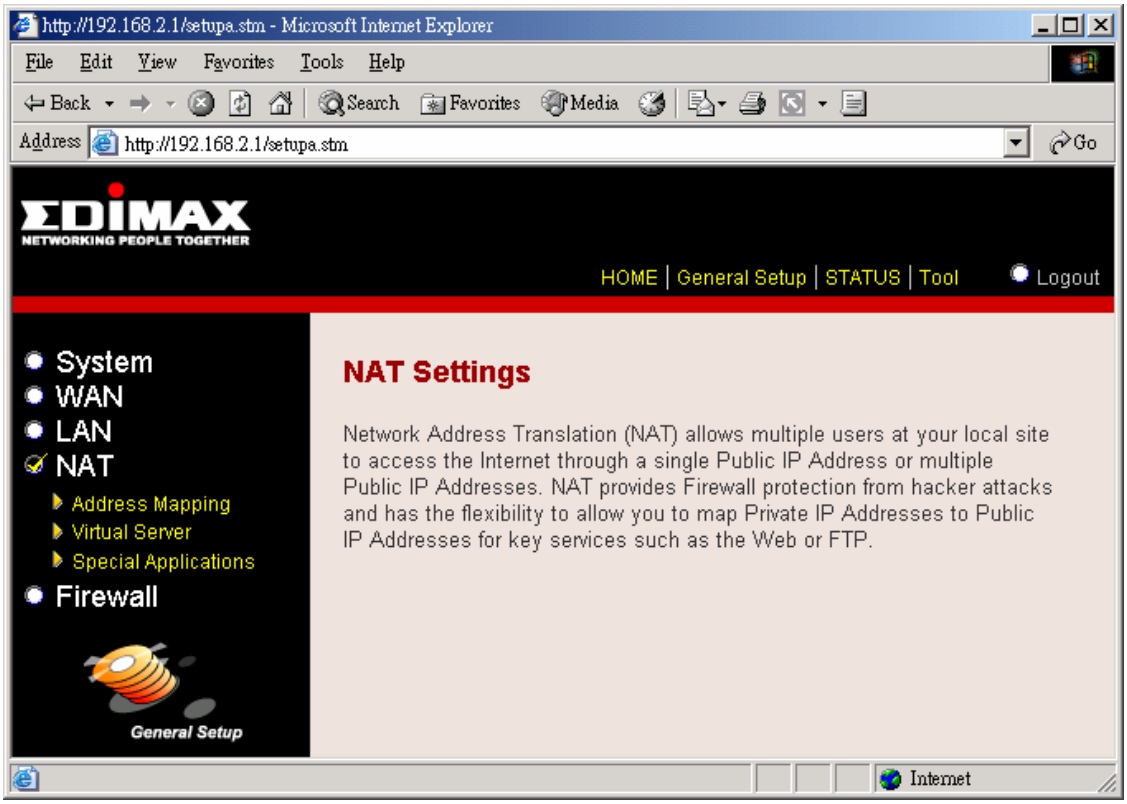


Parameter	Description
LPD Printing Support	This allows you to enable/disable the LPD printing of the print server
Queue Name	The queue name of the LPD print server.

Click <**Apply**> at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

2.4 NAT

Network Address Translation (NAT) allows multiple users at your local site to access the Internet through a single Public IP Address or multiple Public IP Addresses. NAT provides Firewall protection from hacker attacks and has the flexibility to allow you to map Private IP Addresses to Public IP Addresses for key services such as Websites and FTP.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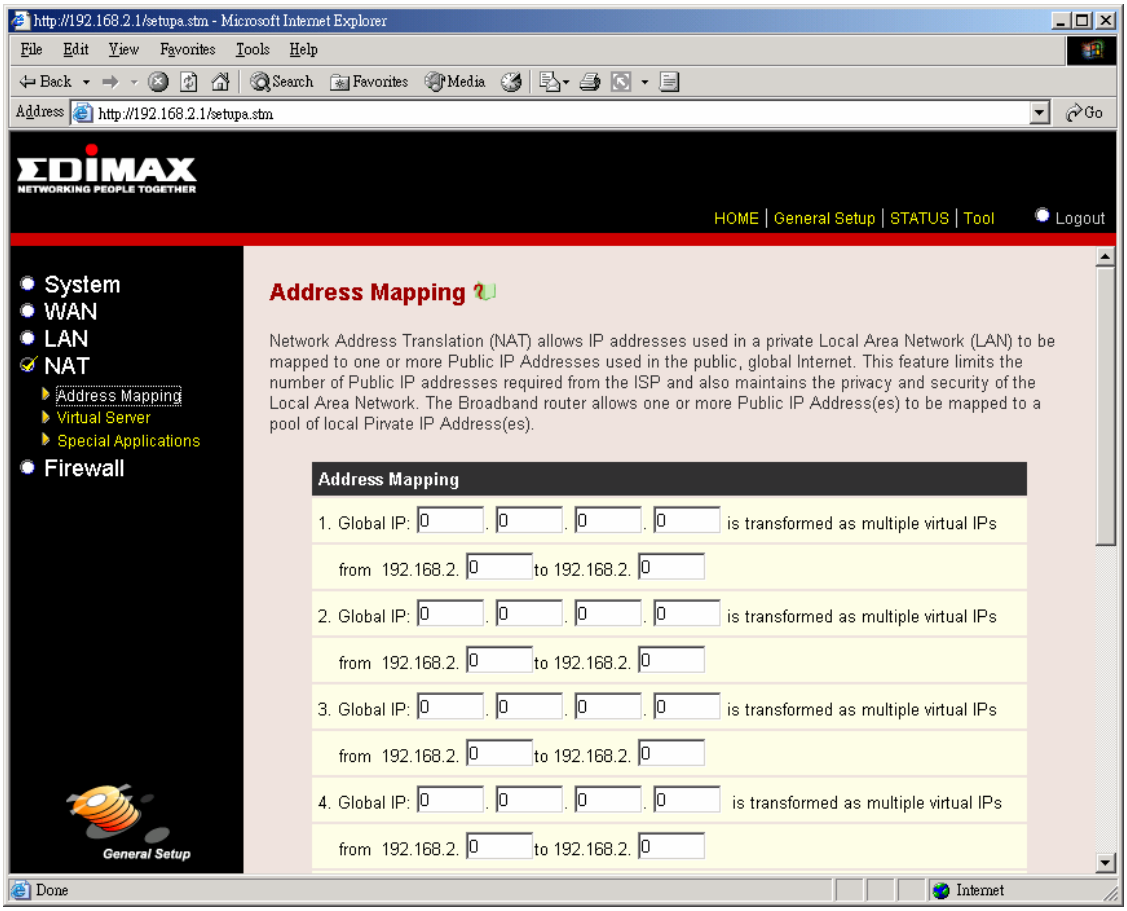
Parameter	Description
2.4.1 Address Mapping	The Broadband router allows one or more Public IP Address(es) to be mapped to a pool of local Private IP Address(es). This feature is particular useful when you have multiple global IPs and want to divide local users into different groups.
2.4.2 Virtual Server	You can have different services (e.g. email, FTP, Web etc.) going to different service servers/clients in your LAN. The Virtual Server allows you to re-direct a particular service port number (from the Internet/WAN Port) to a particular LAN IP address and its service port number.
2.4.3 Special Applications	Some applications require multiple connections, such as Internet games, video conferencing, Internet telephony and others. In this section you can configure the router to support these types of applications.

Click on one of the three NAT selections and proceed to the manual's relevant sub-section

2.4.1 Address Mapping

The Address Mapping function allows IP addresses used in a private Local Area Network (LAN) to be mapped (translated) to different Public IP Addresses used in the public/global Internet. This feature limits the number of Public IP addresses required from the ISP and also maintains the privacy and security of the Local Area Network. Essentially the Broadband router allows one or more Public IP Address(es) to be mapped to a pool of local Private IP Address(es).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Address Mapping
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2. Global IP: 0 . 0 . 0 . 0 is transformed as multiple virtual IPs
from 192.168.2. 0 to 192.168.2. 0
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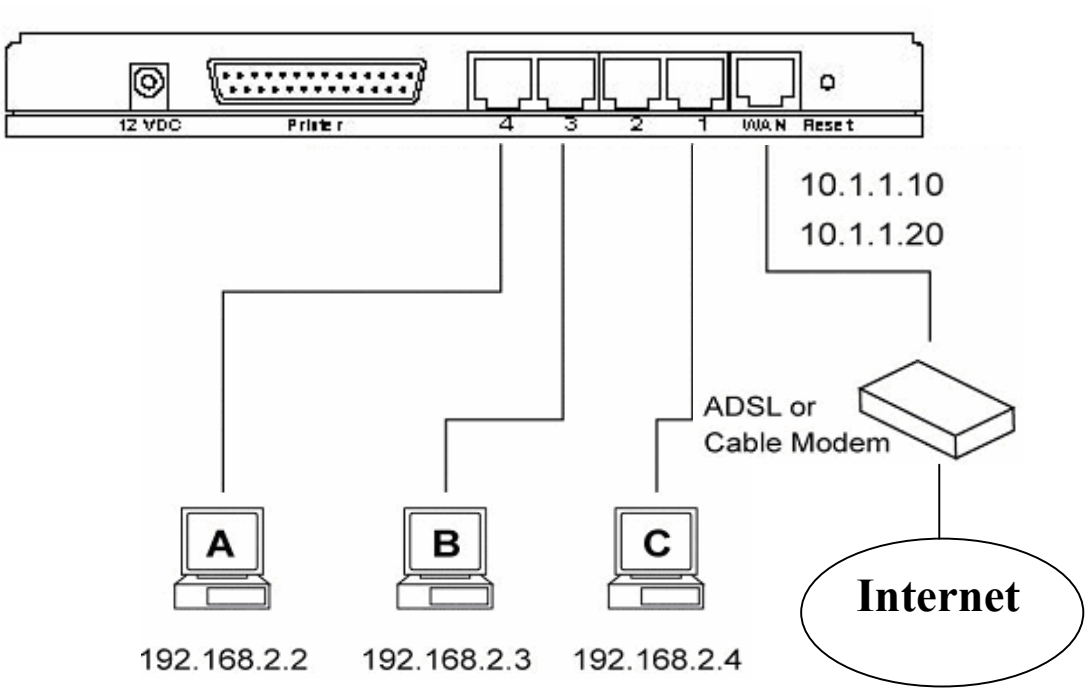
from 192.168.2. 0 to 192.168.2. 0
4. Global IP: 0 . 0 . 0 . 0 is transformed as multiple virtual IPs
from 192.168.2. 0 to 192.168.2. 0
Done
Internet

Parameter	Description
Global IP	This is the Public/legal IP address that exist in the Internet that will be transformed to one or more private/**Virtual IP** address (LAN PC clients) e.g. 192.168.2.x. This means that the private IP addess(es) selected will use the designated public IP address when accessing the Internet **Note:** You need to give your LAN PC clients a fixed/static IP address for Address Mapping to work properly.

Click **<Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

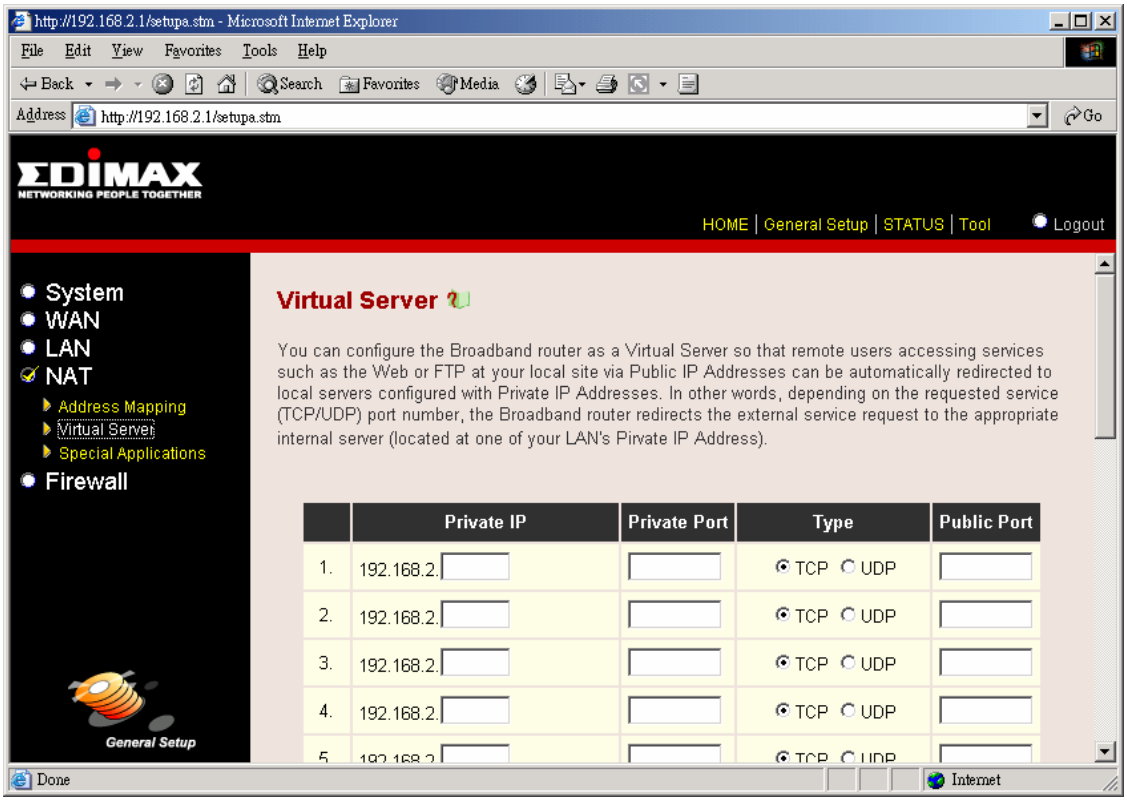
Example: Address Mapping
The diagram below demonstrates how Address Mapping works. With the below configuration, LAN client A and B will use the global/public IP address 10.1.1.10. LAN client C will use 10.1.1.20.

Configuration	*Configuration*
Global IP: 10.1.1.10	Global IP: 10.1.1.20
192.168.2: 2	192.168.2: 4
192.168.2: 3	192.168.2: 4



2.4.2 Virtual Server

Use the Virtual Server function when you want different servers/clients in your LAN to handle different service/Internet application type (e.g. Email, FTP, Web server etc.) from the Internet. Computers use numbers called port numbers to recognize a particular service/Internet application type. The Virtual Server allows you to re-direct a particular service port number (from the Internet/WAN Port) to a particular LAN private IP address and its service port number. (See Glossary for an explanation on Port number).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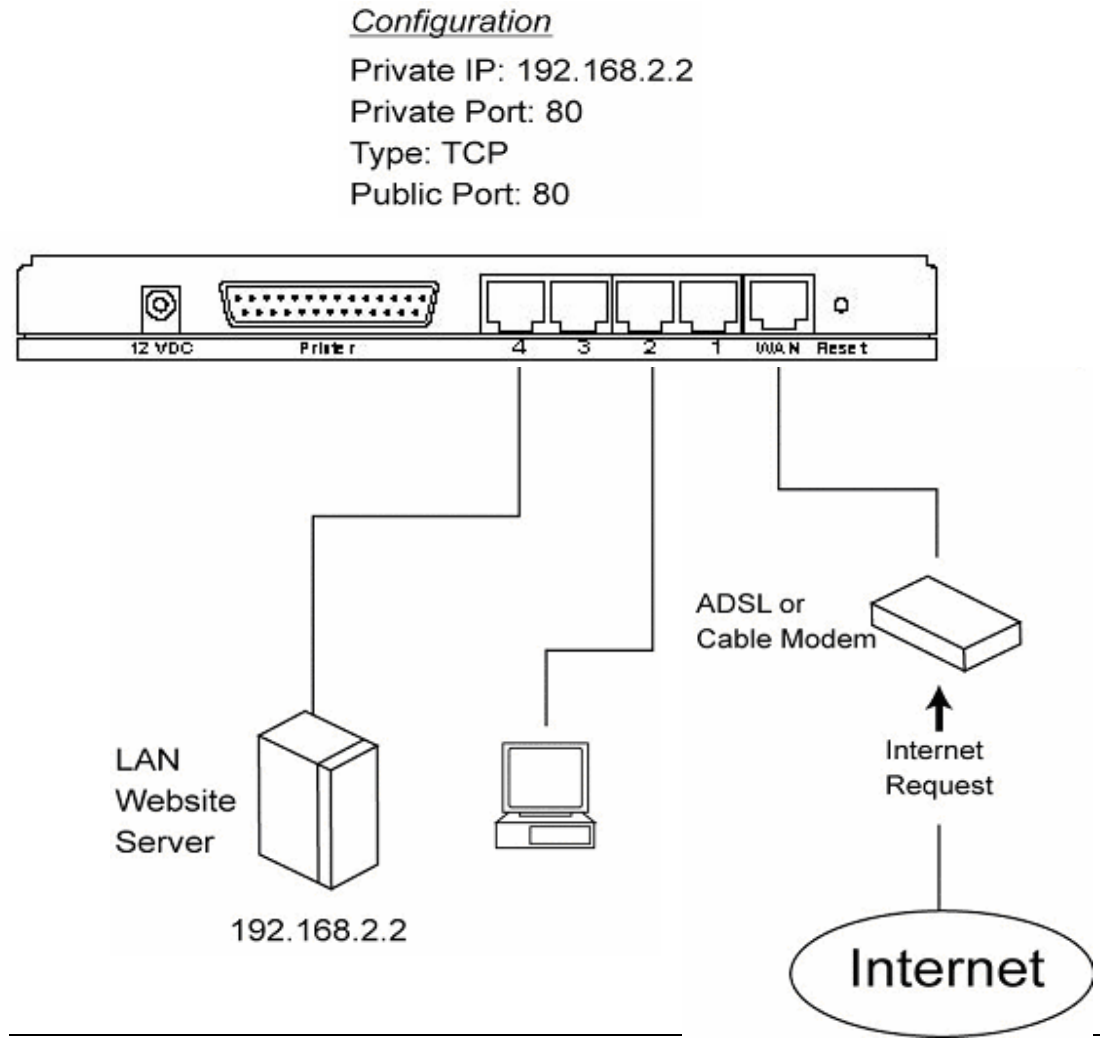
You can configure the Broadband router as a Virtual Server so that remote users accessing services such as the Web or FTP at your local site via Public IP Addresses can be automatically redirected to local servers configured with Private IP Addresses. In other words, depending on the requested service (TCP/UDP) port number, the Broadband router redirects the external service request to the appropriate internal server (located at one of your LAN's Pivate IP Address).
Private IP
Private Port
Type
Public Port
1. 192.168.2.
2. 192.168.2.
3. 192.168.2.
4. 192.168.2.
TCP UDP
Done
Internet

Parameters	Description
Private IP	This is the LAN client/host IP address that the Public Port number packet will be sent to. **Note:** You need to give your LAN PC clients a fixed/static IP address for Virtual Server to work properly.
Private Port	This is the port number (of the above Private IP host) that the below Public Port number will be changed to when the packet enters your LAN (to the LAN Server/Client IP)
Type	Select the port number protocol type (TCP or UDP). If you are unsure, then leave it to the default TCP protocol.

Public Port	Enter the service (service/Internet application) port number from the Internet that will be re-directed to the above Private IP address host in your LAN **Note**: Virtual Server function will have priority over the DMZ function if there is a conflict between the Virtual Server and the DMZ settings.

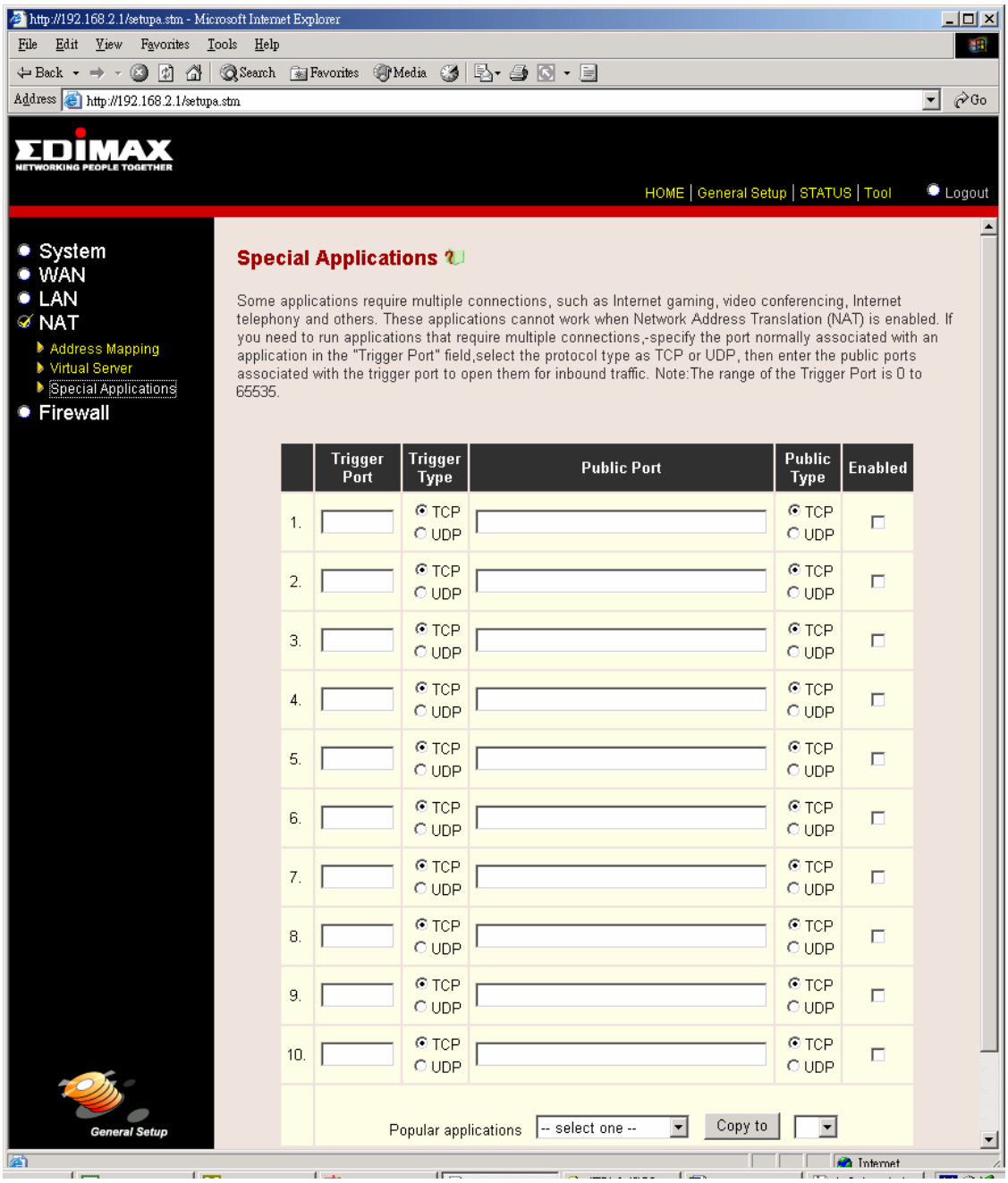
Click <**Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

Example: Virtual Server
The diagram below demonstrates one of the ways you can use the Virtual Server function. Use the Virtual Server when you want the web server located in your private LAN to be accessible to Internet users. The configuration below means that any request coming form the Internet to access your web server will be translated to your LAN's web server (192.168.2.2). **Note:** For the virtual server to work properly Internet/remote users must know your global IP address. (For websites you will need to have a fixed/static global/public IP address)



2.4.3 Special Applications

Some applications require multiple connections, such as Internet games, video conferencing, Internet telephony and others. In this section you can configure the router to support multiple connections for these types of applications.



Parameters	Description
Trigger Port	This is the out going (Outbound) port number for this particular application

	Note: The range of the Trigger Port is only from 0 to 65535.
Trigger Type	Select whether the outbound port protocol is TCP or UDP
Public Port	Enter the In-coming (Inbound) port or port range for this type of application (e.g. 2300-2400, 47624) **Note**: Individual port numbers are separated by a comma (e.g. 47624, 5775, 6541 etc.). To input a port range use a "dash" to separate the two port number range (e.g. 2300-2400)
Public Type	Select the Inbound port protocol type: TCP or UDP
Enabled	You must tick/check the Enabled box to enable this particular special application configuration **Note**: Only one LAN client can use a particular special application at a time.
Popular applications	This section lists the more popular applications that require multiple connections. Select an application from the Popular Applications selection. Once you have selected an application, select a location (1-10) in the **Copy to** selection box and then click the **Copy to** button. This will automatically list the Public Ports required for this popular application in the location (1-10) you'd specified.

Click <**Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

Example: Special Applications
If you need to run applications that require multiple connections, then specify the port (outbound) normally associated with that application in the "Trigger Port" field. Then select the protocol type (TCP or UDP) and enter the public ports associated with the trigger port to open them up for inbound traffic.

Example:

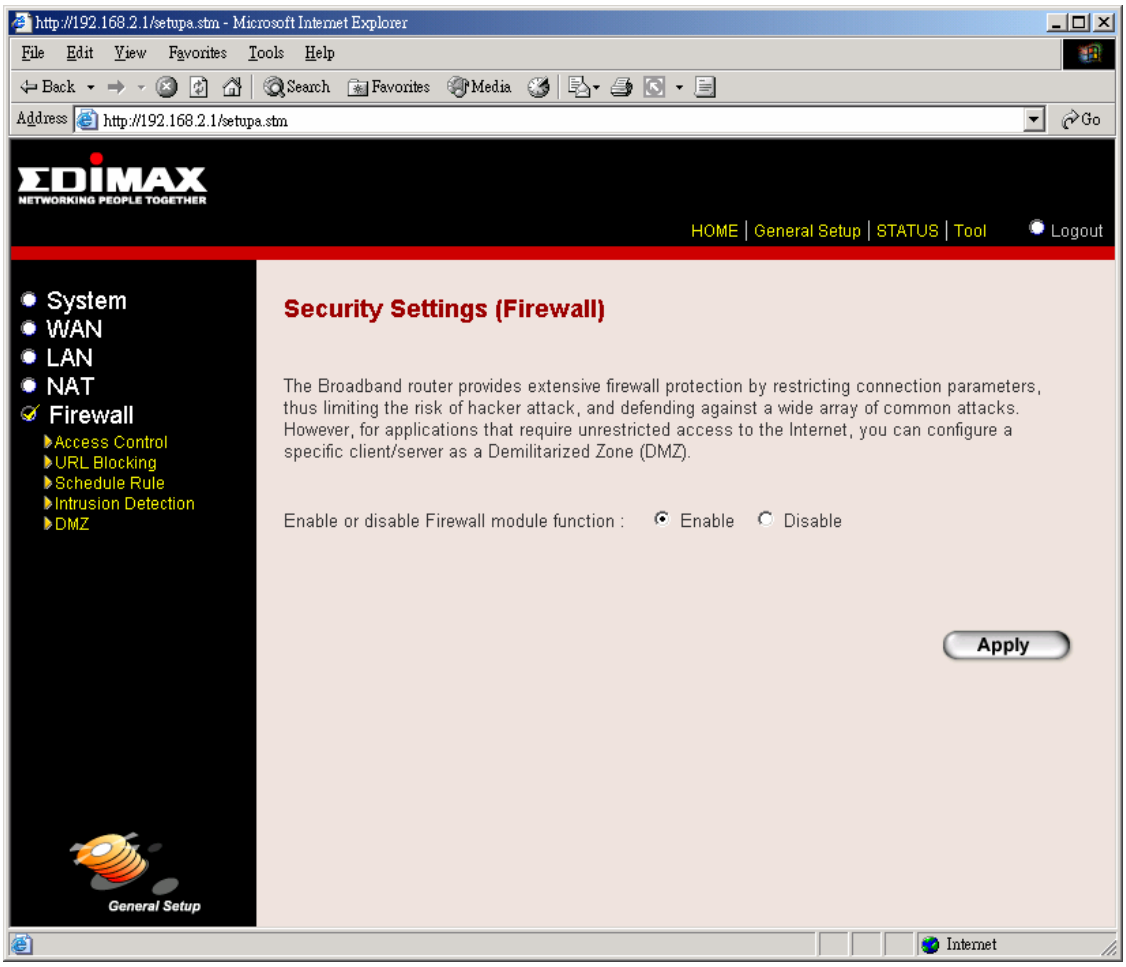
ID	Trigger Port	Trigger Type	Public Port	Public Type	Comment
1	28800	UDP	2300-2400, 47624	TCP	MSN Game Zone
2	6112	UDP	6112	UDP	Battle.net

In the example above, when a user trigger's port 28800 (outbound) for MSN Game Zone then the router will allow incoming packets for ports 2300-2400 and 47624 to be directed to that user.
Note: Only one LAN client can use a particular special application at a time.

2.5 Firewall

The Broadband router provides extensive firewall protection by restricting connection parameters, thus limiting the risk of hacker attack, and defending against a wide array of common Internet attacks. However, for applications that require unrestricted access to the Internet, you can configure a specific client/server as a Demilitarized Zone (DMZ).

Note: To enable the Firewall settings select **Enable** and click **Apply**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Enable or disable Firewall module function : Enable Disable
Apply
Internet

Parameters	Description
2.5.1 Access Control	Access Control allows you to specify which hosts users can or cannot have access to certain Internet applications
2.5.2 URL Blocking	URL Blocking allow you to specify which URLs can not be accessed by users.
2.5.3 Schedule Rule	Schedule Rule lets you assign time ranges for schedules.
2.5.4 Intrusion Detection	The Broadband router's firewall can block common hacker attacks and can alert you by email if attacks occur

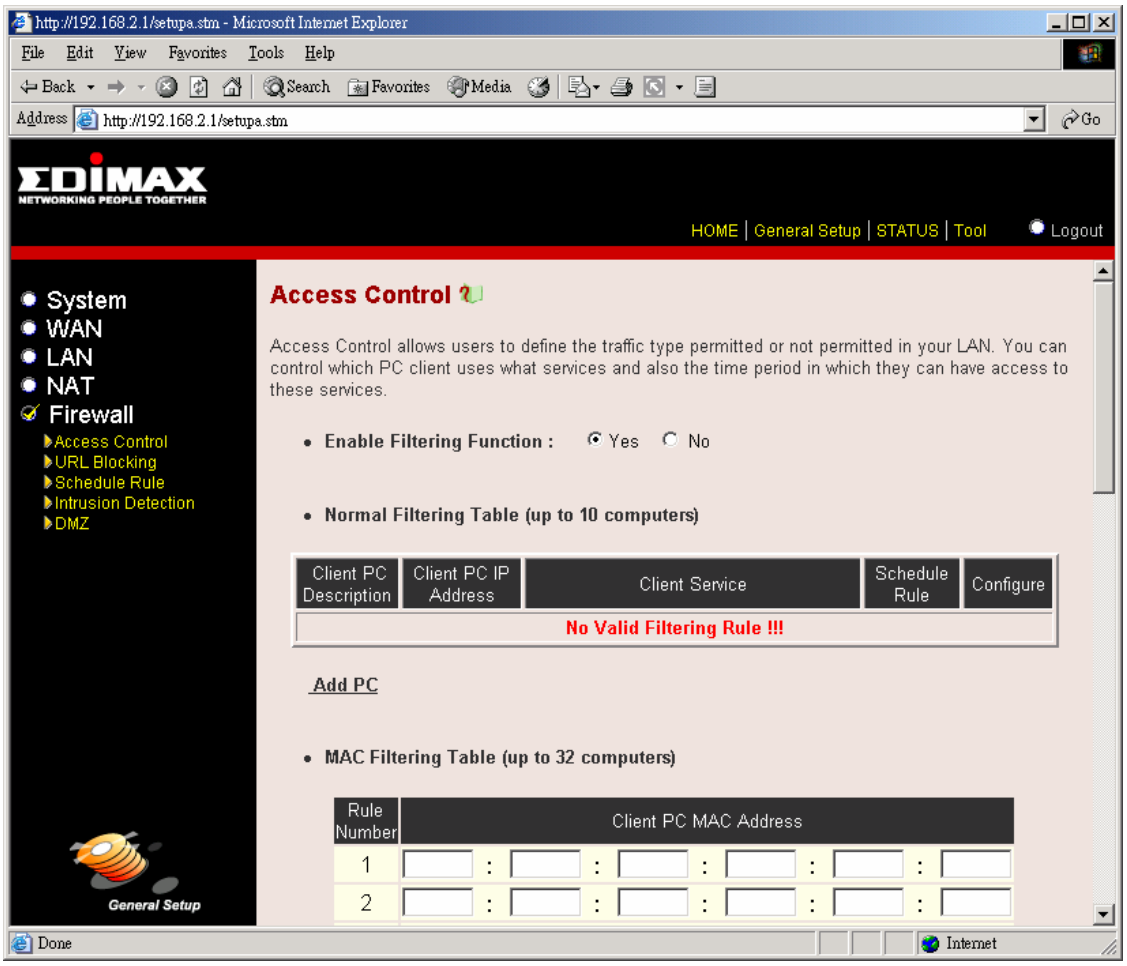
2.5.5 DMZ

The DMZ function allows you to re-direct all packets going to your WAN port IP address to a particular IP address in your LAN.

Click on one of the firewall selections and proceed to the manual's relevant sub-section

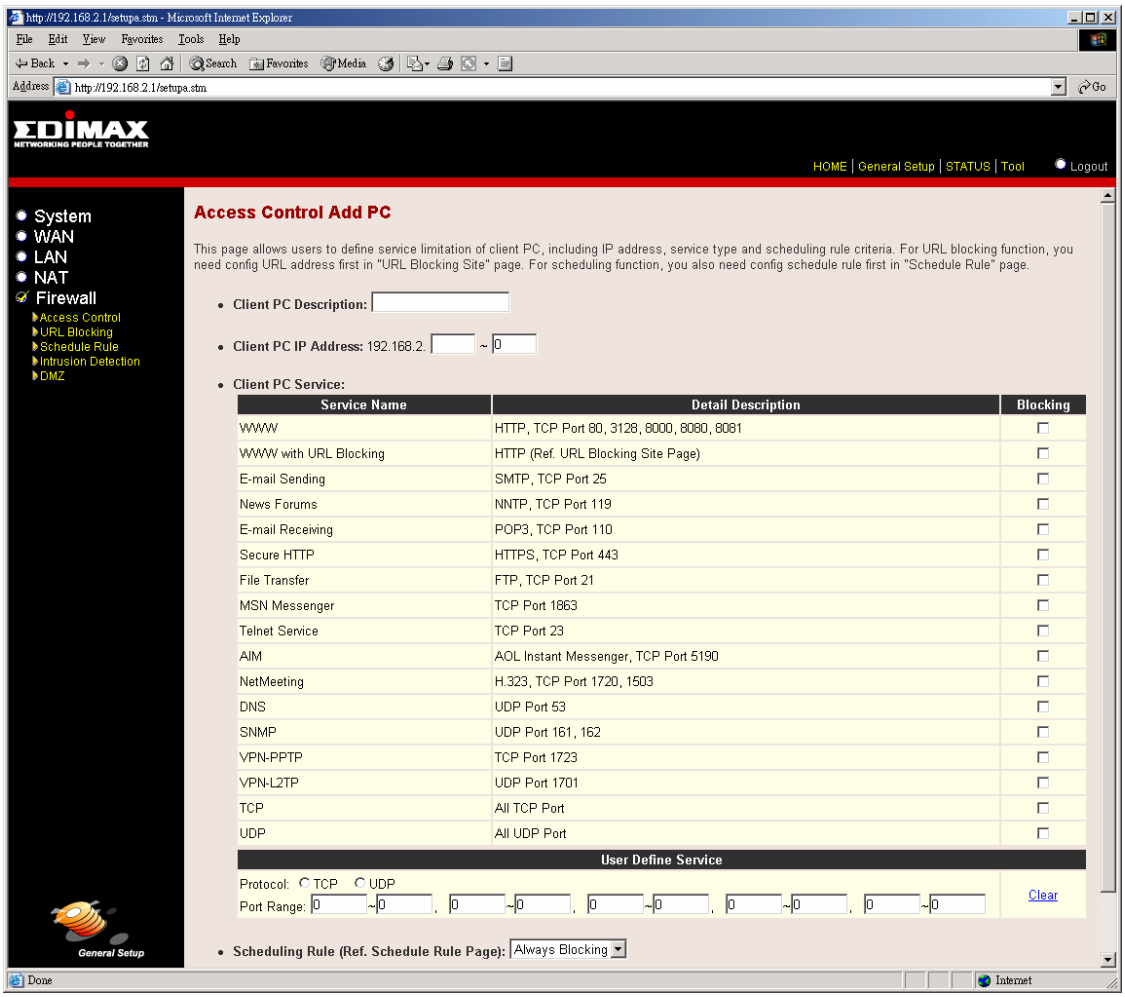
2.5.1 Access Control

If you want to restrict users from accessing certain Internet applications/services (e.g. Internet websites, email, FTP etc.), then this is the place to set that configuration. Access Control allows users to define the traffic type permitted or not permitted in your LAN. You can control which PC client uses what services and also the time period in which they can have access to these services.



Parameters	Description
Enable Filtering Function	You must select whether to enable (Yes) or disable (No) the Access control function that you've configured in this screen
Add PC	You can click Add PC to add an access control rule for users by IP addresses.
MAC Filtering Table	Enter the MAC addresses of client PCs that you want to block from accessing the Internet.

Click **<Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)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Intrusion Detection
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General Setup
Access Control Add PC
This page allows users to define service limitation of client PC, including IP address, service type and scheduling rule criteria. For URL blocking function, you need config URL address first in "URL Blocking Site" page. For scheduling function, you also need config schedule rule first in "Schedule Rule" page.
Client PC Description:
Client PC IP Address: 192.168.2. ~
Client PC Service:
Service Name | Detail Description | Blocking
WWW | HTTP, TCP Port 80, 3128, 8000, 8080, 8081
WWW with URL Blocking | HTTP (Ref. URL Blocking Site Page)
E-mail Sending | SMTP, TCP Port 25
News Forums | NNTP, TCP Port 119
E-mail Receiving | POP3, TCP Port 110
Secure HTTP | HTTPS, TCP Port 443
File Transfer | FTP, TCP Port 21
MSN Messenger | TCP Port 1863
Telnet Service | TCP Port 23
AIM | AOL Instant Messenger, TCP Port 5190
NetMeeting | H.323, TCP Port 1720, 1503
DNS | UDP Port 53
SNMP | UDP Port 161, 162
VPN-PPTP | TCP Port 1723
VPN-L2TP | UDP Port 1701
TCP | All TCP Port
UDP | All UDP Port
User Define Service
Protocol: TCP UDP
Port Range:
Clear
Scheduling Rule (Ref. Schedule Rule Page): Always Blocking
Done
Internet

Add PC

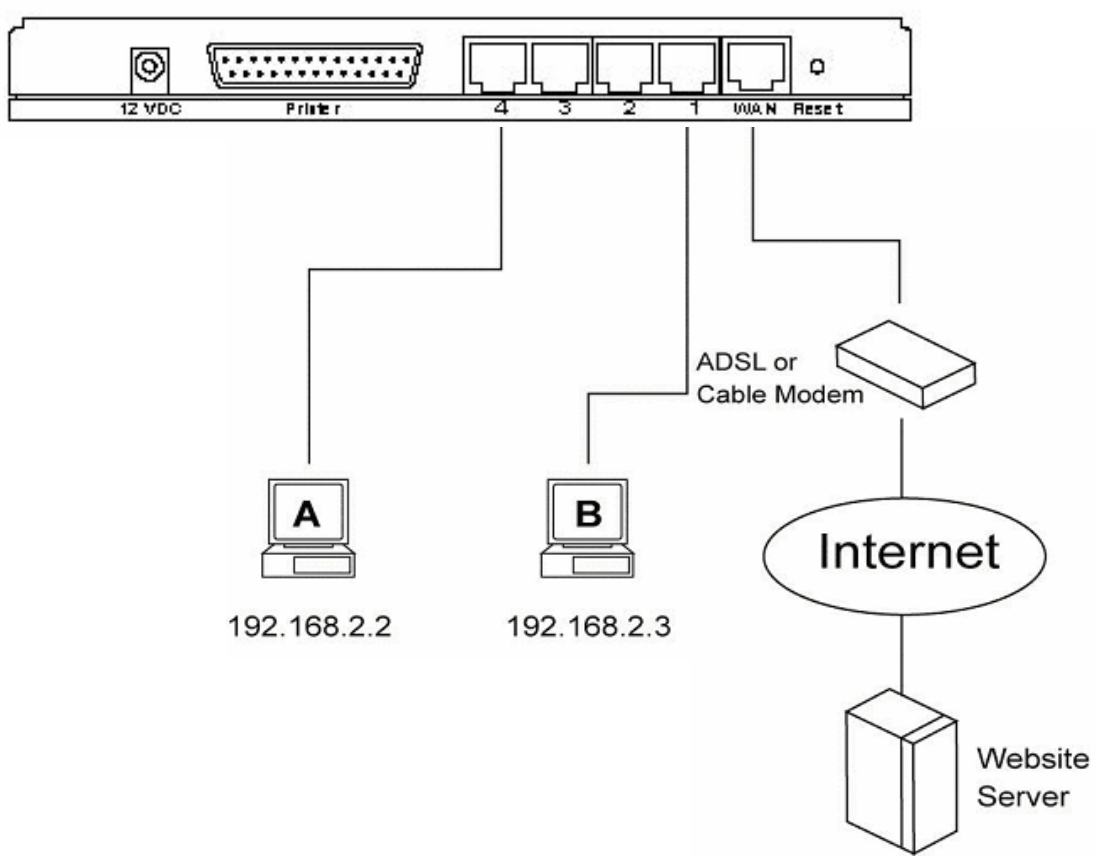
Parameters	Description
Client PC Description	The description for this client PC rule.
Client PC IP Addresses	Enter the IP address range that you wish to apply this Access Control rule. This is the user's IP address(es) that you wish to setup an Access Control rule. You can select a range of users simply by inputting the starting users' last digit (octet) IP address and the last user's last octet IP address in the appropriate boxes. If you want to select only one user then input the user's last digit IP address in both boxes. **Note:** You need to give your LAN PC clients a fixed/static IP address for the Access Control rule to work properly.

Client PC Service	You can block the clients from accessing some Internet services by checking the services you want to block.
Protocol	This allows you to select UDP or TCP protocol type you want to block.
Port Range	You can assign up to five port ranges. The router will block clients from accessing Internet services that use these ports.
Scheduling Rule	You can select one of the Scheduling Rule you set previously and the router will block the clients during the time in the Scheduling Rule.

Click <**Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

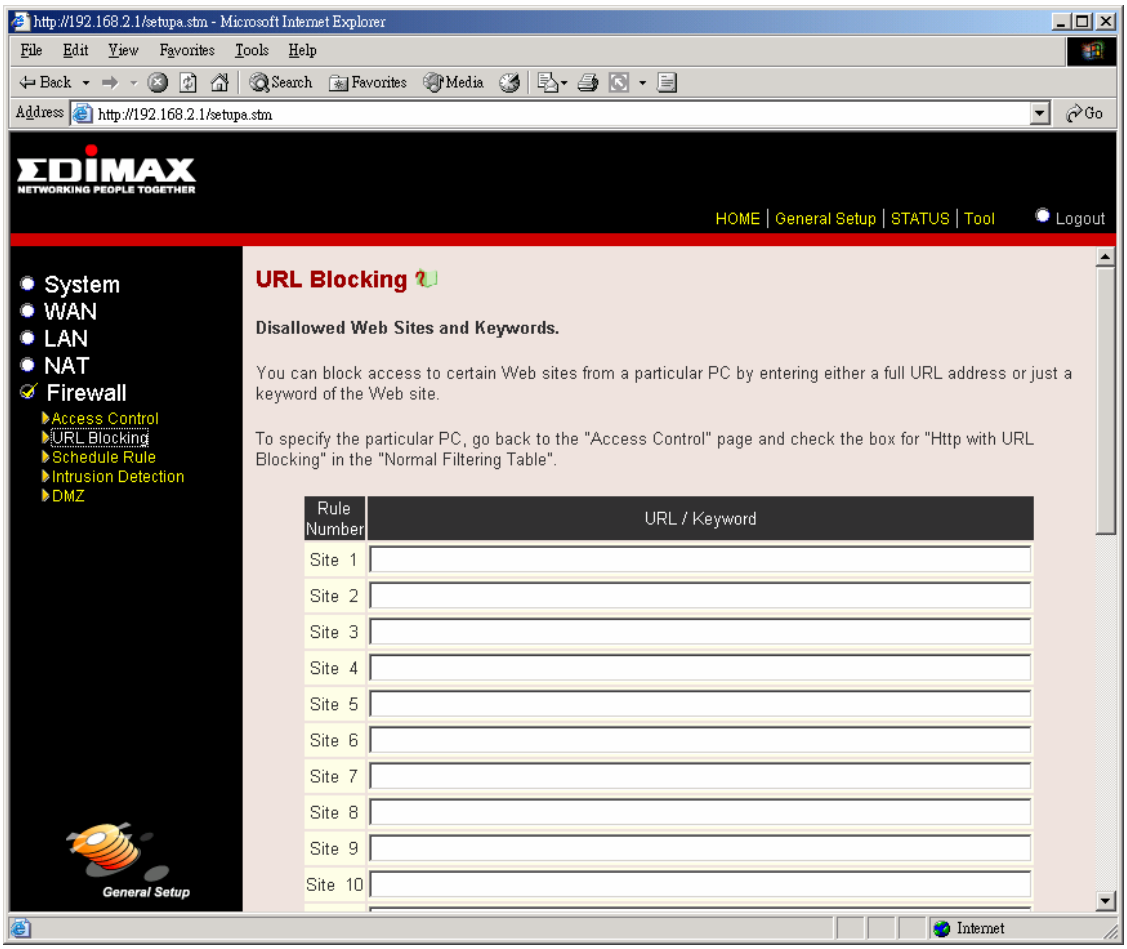
Example: Access Control
In the example below, LAN client B cannot access any websites ever (Websites uses Port 80). However, LAN client A is unable to access websites (and any other service that uses ports between 80 and 999) between Saturday 8am to Sunday 8pm.

Configuration	*Configuration*
IP: 192.168.2.2	IP: 192.168.2.3
Port: 80-80	Port: 80-999
Block Time: Block	Block Time: Always
Day: Saturday	Day: Sunday
Sunday	Sunday
Time: 8am	Time: 8pm
8pm	8pm



2.5.2 URL Blocking

You can block access to some Web sites from particular PCs by entering a full URL address or just keyword of the Web site. To specify particular PCs, go to the Access Control page and check the box for “WWW with URL Blocking” in the “Client PC service” table.

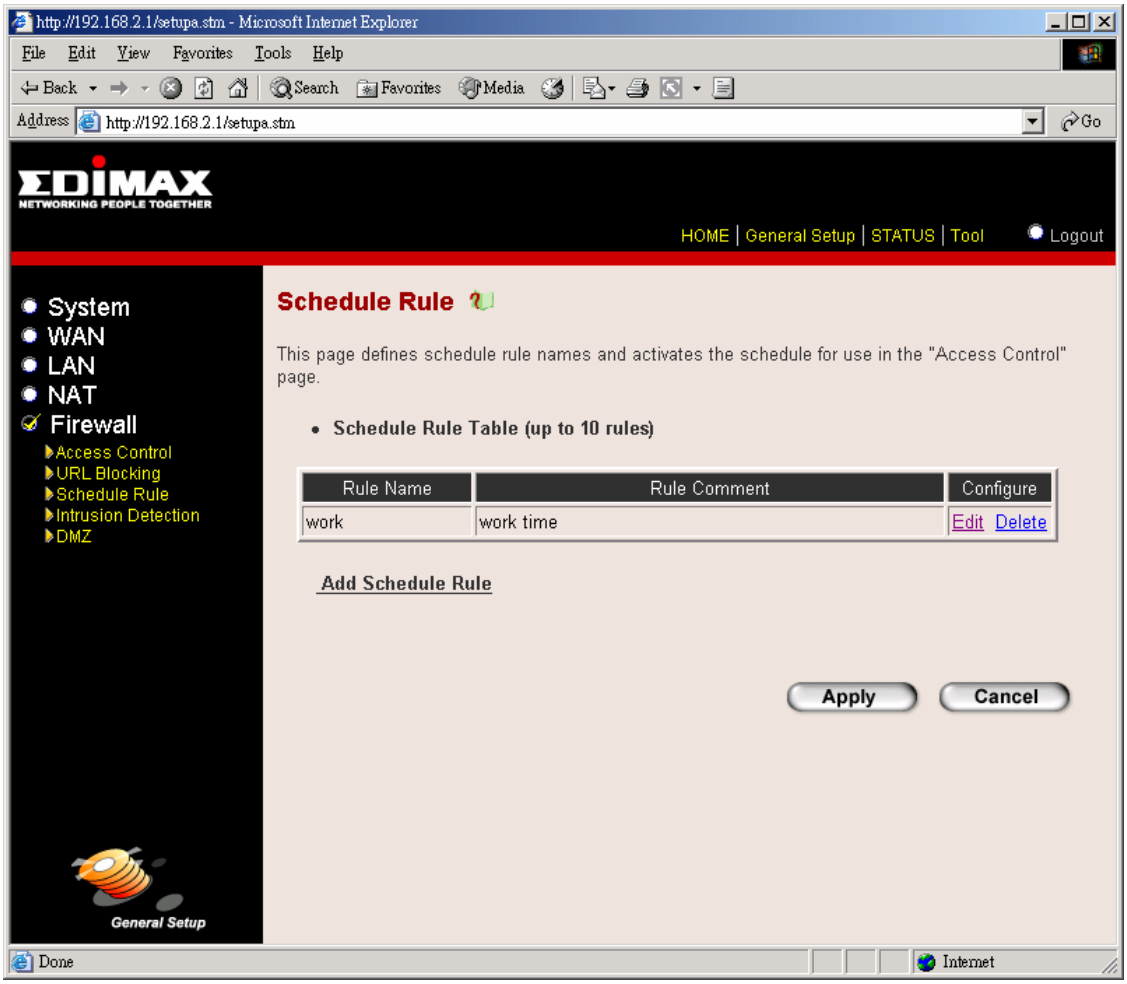


Parameters	Description
URL/Keyword	Enter the full URL address or the keyword of the Web site you want to block.

Click **<Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

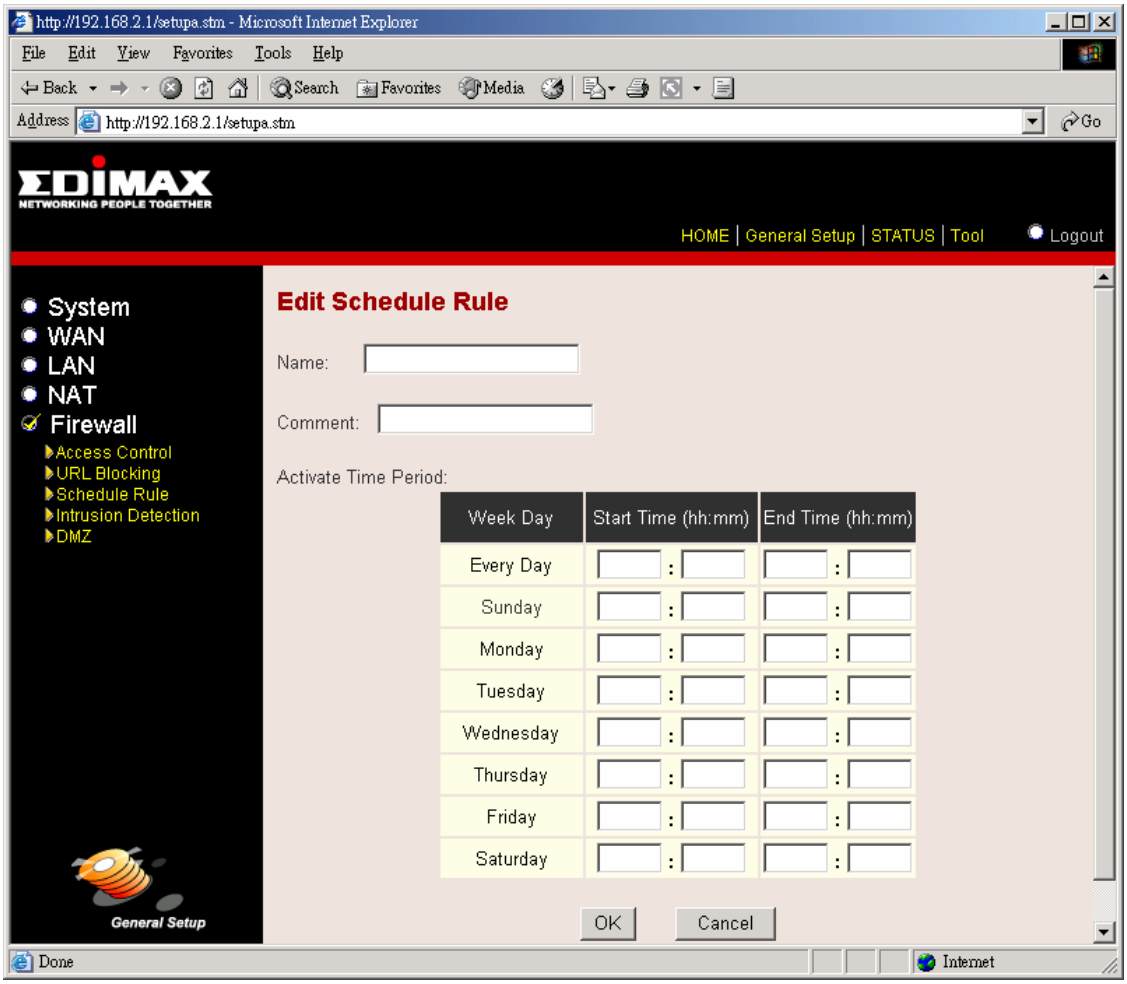
2.5.3 Schedule Rule

You can assign time ranges for schedule. The schedule can be used by other functions, for example Access Control.



Parameters	Description
Edit	Click Edit to modify the time range of the rule schedule.
Delete	Click Delete to delete the rule of schedule.
Add Schedule Rule	Click Add Schedule Rule to add a new schedule rule and enter the detail edit page to edit the time range of the schedule rule.

Click **<Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)



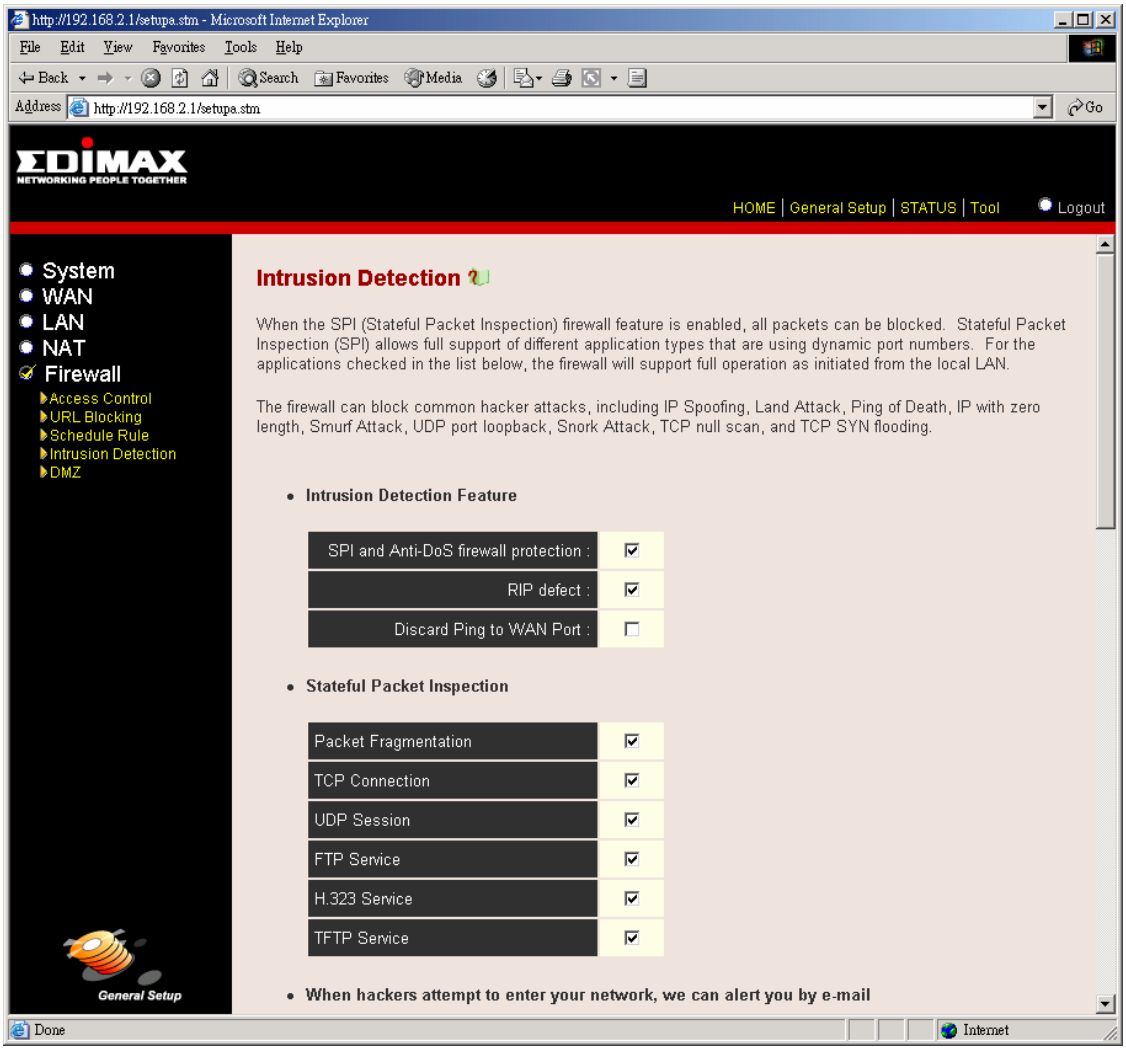
Edit Schedule Rule

Parameters	Description
Name	The name of the schedule rule.
Comment	You can enter comment for the schedule rule.
Activate Time Period	You can enter the start time and end time of each day in a week for the schedule rule.

Click <**Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations and go back to the previous page of Schedule Rule setting.

2.5.4 Intrusion Detection

The Broadband router's firewall can block common hacker attacks, including Denial of Service, Ping of Death, and RIP defect. If Internet attacks occur the router can also alert you by email.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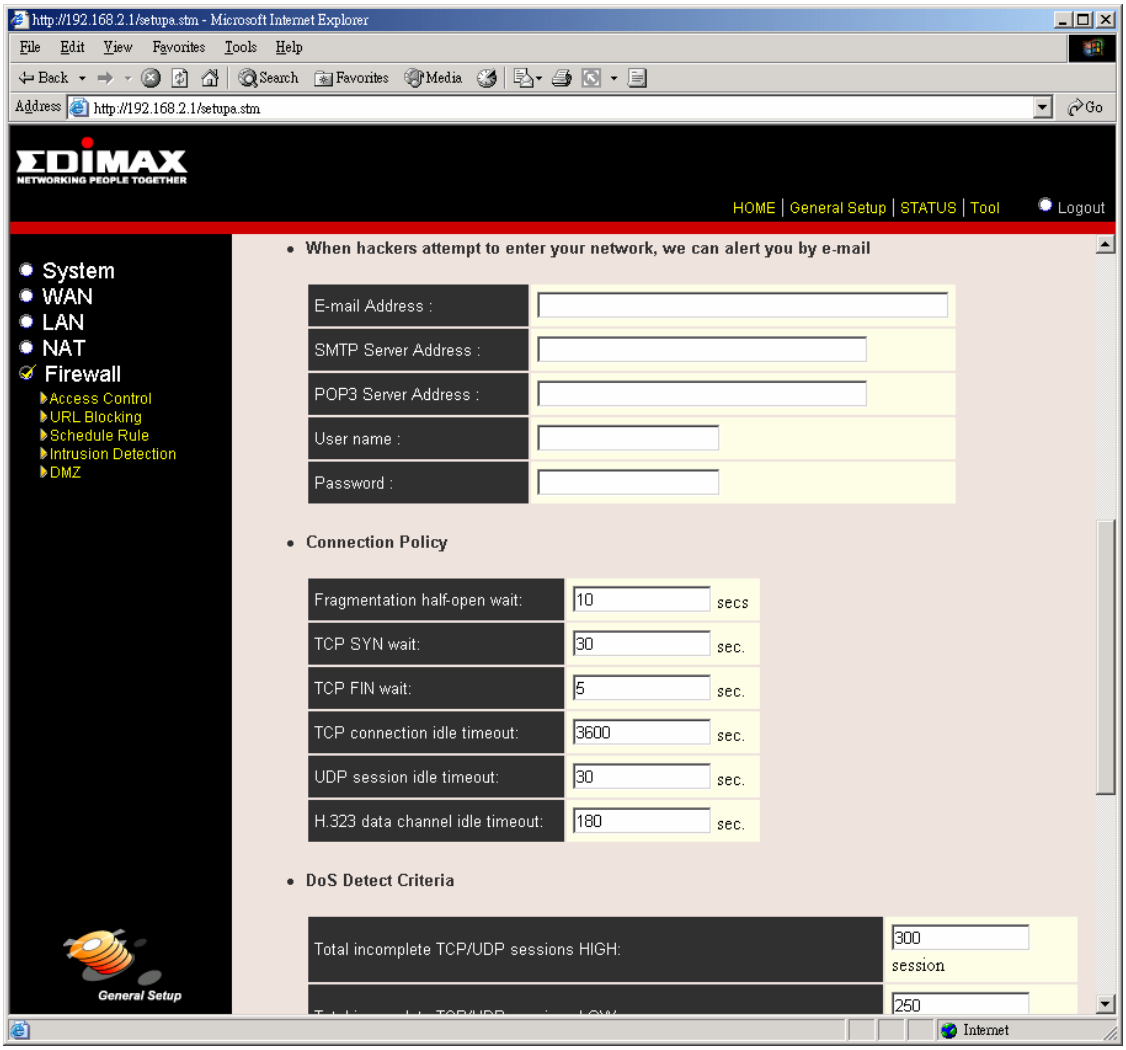
When the SPI (Stateful Packet Inspection) firewall feature is enabled, all packets can be blocked. Stateful Packet Inspection (SPI) allows full support of different application types that are using dynamic port numbers. For the applications checked in the list below, the firewall will support full operation as initiated from the local LAN.
The firewall can block common hacker attacks, including IP Spoofing, Land Attack, Ping of Death, IP with zero length, Smurf Attack, UDP port loopback, Snork Attack, TCP null scan, and TCP SYN flooding.
Intrusion Detection Feature
SPI and Anti-DoS firewall protection :
RIP defect :
Discard Ping to WAN Port :
Stateful Packet Inspection
Packet Fragmentation
TCP Connection
UDP Session
FTP Service
H.323 Service
TFTP Service
When hackers attempt to enter your network, we can alert you by e-mail
Done
Internet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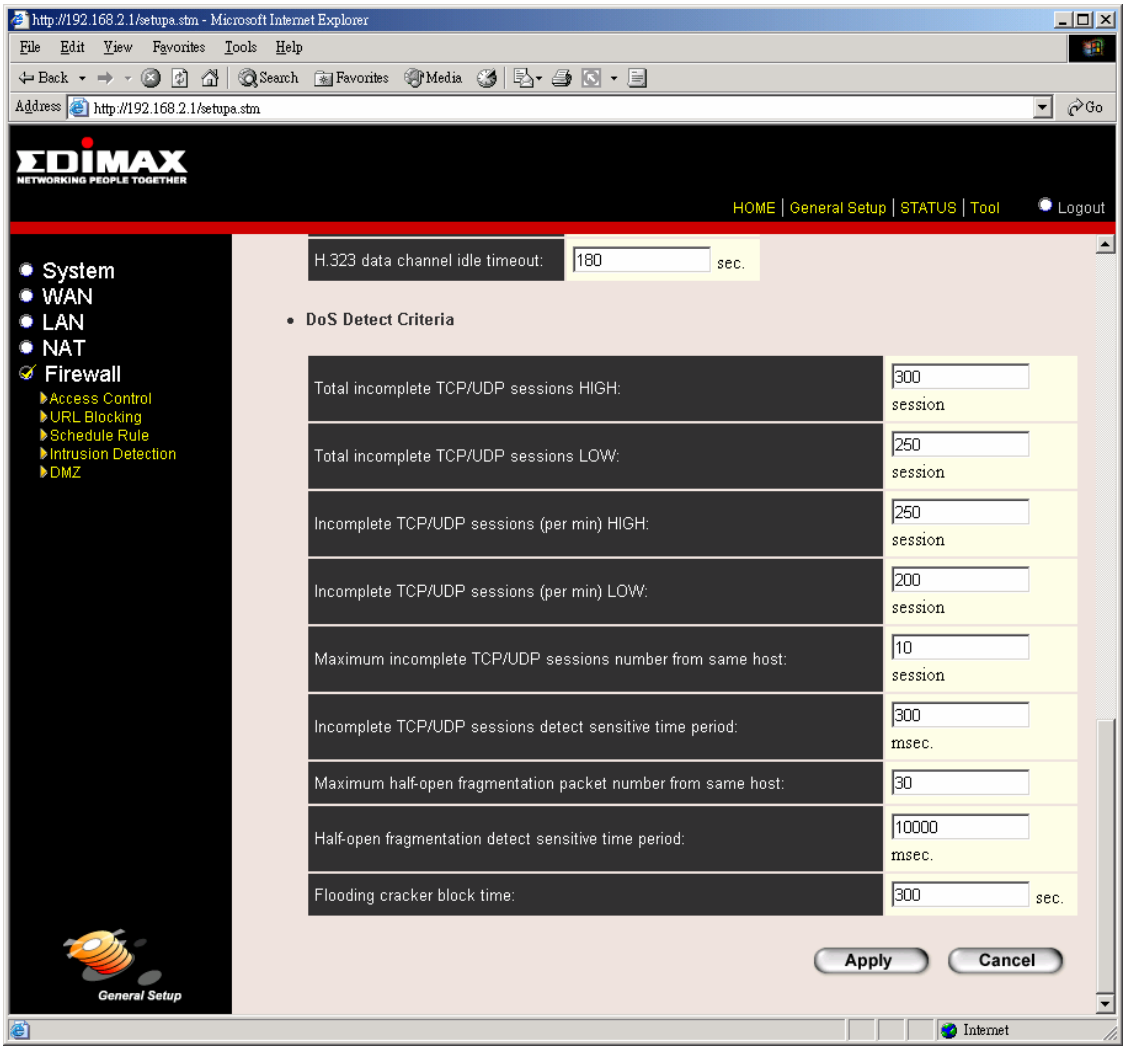
When hackers attempt to enter your network, we can alert you by e-mail
E-mail Address :
SMTP Server Address :
POP3 Server Address :
User name :
Password :
Connection Policy
Fragmentation half-open wait: 10 secs
TCP SYN wait: 30 sec.
TCP FIN wait: 5 sec.
TCP connection idle timeout: 3600 sec.
UDP session idle timeout: 30 sec.
H.323 data channel idle timeout: 180 sec.
DoS Detect Criteria
Total incomplete TCP/UDP sessions HIGH: 300 session
250
General Setup
Internet



Parameters	Description
Intrusion Detection Feature	
DoS Protection	Protections from any Denial of Service Attacks
Discard Ping From WAN	The router's WAN port will not respond to any Ping requests
RIP defect	Protection from RIP defect
Stateful Packet Inspection	The router will analyze all packets of selected protocols according to the state of all sessions and block all abnormal packets.

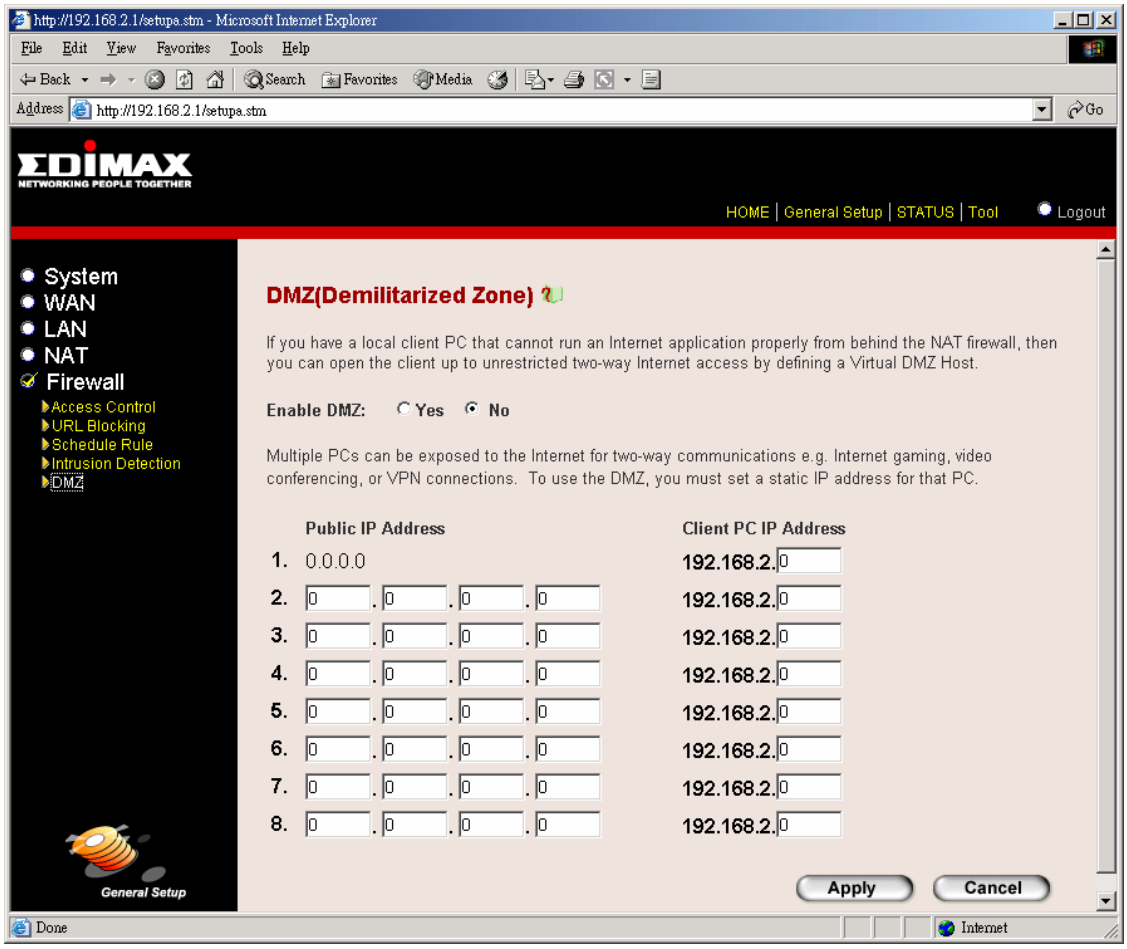
When hackers attempt to enter your network, we can alert you by e-mail

Email Address	Enter the email address that you would like the alert warning to be sent to should an attack occur
SMTP Server Address	Enter the IP address of the above email address' SMTP server
POP3 Server Address	Enter the IP address of the above email address' POP3 server
User Name	Enter the User Name of the above POP3 server
Password	Enter the Password of the above POP3 server
Connection Policy	Setup wait and idle timeout of session states. All timeout sessions will be removed to protect the router from DoS attacks.
DoS Detect Criteria	Setup the criteria of each kind of abnormal events. Any abnormal event that happens more often than the allowed criteria will be treated as DoS attack and the router will record this event in the security log and alert the user by e-mail.

Click <**Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

2.5.5 DMZ

If you have a local client PC that cannot run an Internet application (e.g. Games) properly from behind the NAT firewall, then you can open the client up to unrestricted two-way Internet access by defining a DMZ Host. The DMZ function allows you to re-direct all packets going to your WAN port IP address to a particular IP address in your LAN. The difference between the virtual server and the DMZ function is that the virtual server re-directs a particular service/Internet application (e.g. FTP, websites) to a particular LAN client/server, whereas DMZ re-directs all packets (regardless of services) going to your WAN IP address to a particular LAN client/server.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URL Blocking
Schedule Rule
Intrusion Detection
DMZ
General Setup
DMZ(Demilitarized Zone)
If you have a local client PC that cannot run an Internet application properly from behind the NAT firewall, then you can open the client up to unrestricted two-way Internet access by defining a Virtual DMZ Host.
Enable DMZ: Yes No
Multiple PCs can be exposed to the Internet for two-way communications e.g. Internet gaming, video conferencing, or VPN connections. To use the DMZ, you must set a static IP address for that PC.
Public IP Address
Client PC IP Address
1. 0.0.0.0 192.168.2.0
2. 192.168.2.0
3. 192.168.2.0
4. 192.168.2.0
5. 192.168.2.0
6. 192.168.2.0
7. 192.168.2.0
8. 192.168.2.0
Apply
Cancel
Done
Internet

Parameters	Description
Enable DMZ	Select Yes to enable DMZ Select No to disable DMZ **Note**: If there is a conflict between the Virtual Server and the DMZ setting, then Virtual Server function will have priority over the DMZ function.
Public IP Address	The IP address of the WAN port or any other Public IP addresses given to you by your ISP

Client PC IP Address	Input the IP address of a particular host in your LAN that will receive all the packets originally going to the WAN port/Public IP address(es) above **Note:** You need to give your LAN PC clients a fixed/static IP address for DMZ to work properly.

Click <**Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to save the above configurations. You can now configure other advance sections or start using the router (with the advance settings in place)

Chapter 3

Status

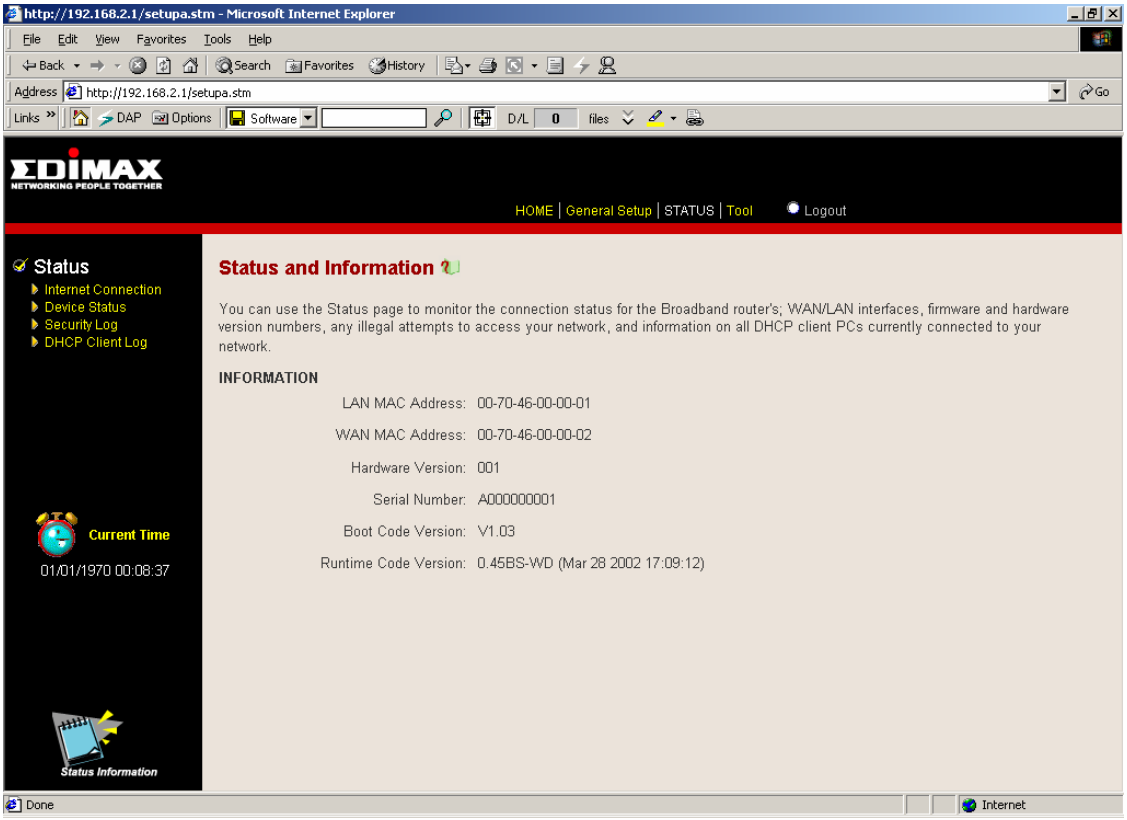
The Status section allows you to monitor the current status of your router. You can use the Status page to monitor: the connection status of the Broadband router's WAN/LAN interfaces, the current firmware and hardware version numbers, any illegal attempts to access your network, and information on all DHCP client PCs currently connected to your network.

Parameters	Description
3.1 Status and Information	Shows the router's system information
3.2 Internet Connection	View the Broadband router's current Internet connection status and other related information
3.3 Device Status	View the Broadband router's current setting status
3.4 Security Log	View any attempts that have been made to illegally gain access to your network.
3.5 DHCP PC Client Log	View your LAN client's information that is currently linked to the Broadband router's DHCP server

Select one of the above five Status selections and proceed to the manual's relevant sub-section

3.1 Status and Information

The Status and Information section allows you to view the router's system information.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DHCP Client Log
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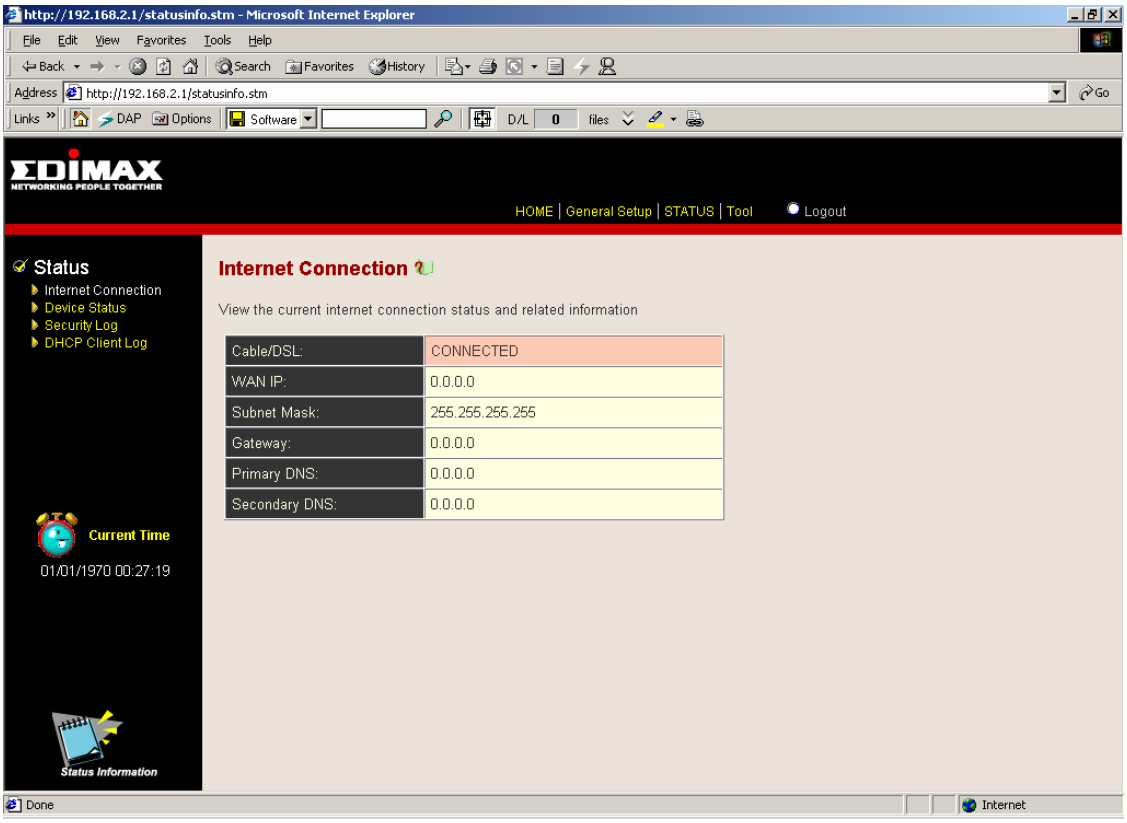
Status Information
Status and Information
You can use the Status page to monitor the connection status for the Broadband router's; WAN/LAN interfaces, firmware and hardware version numbers, any illegal attempts to access your network, and information on all DHCP client PCs currently connected to your network.
INFORMATION
LAN MAC Address: 00-70-46-00-00-01
WAN MAC Address: 00-70-46-00-00-02
Hardware Version: 001
Serial Number: A000000001
Boot Code Version: V1.03
Runtime Code Version: 0.45BS-WD (Mar 28 2002 17:09:12)
Done
Internet

Parameters	Description
Information	You can see the router's system information such as the router's: LAN MAC Address, WAN MAC Address, Hardware version, Serial Number, Boot code Version, Runtime code Version

3.2 Internet Connection

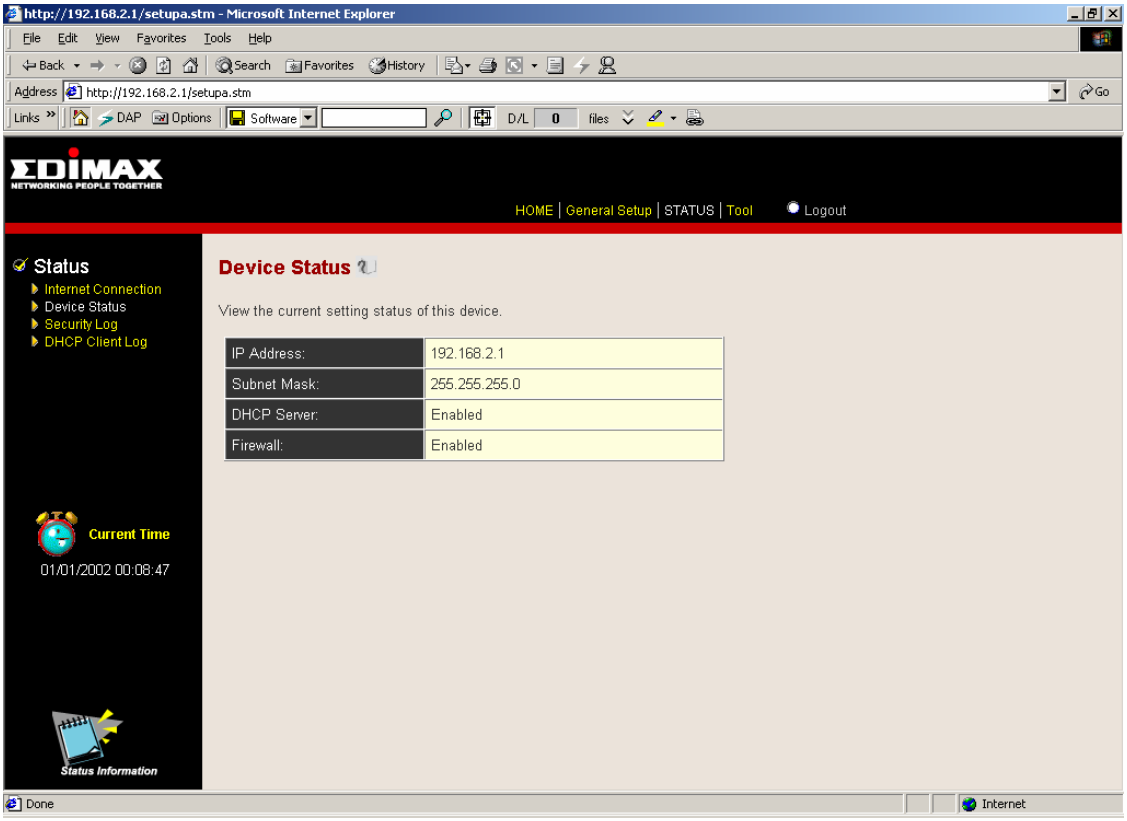
View the Broadband router's current Internet connection status and other related information.



Parameters	Description
Internet Connection	This page displays whether the WAN port is connected to a **Cable/DSL** connection. It also displays the router's WAN port: **WAN IP** address, **Subnet Mask**, and ISP **Gateway** as well as the **Primary DNS** and **Secondary DNS** being used. **Note**: When the WAN port is a Dynamic IP connection, the <**Release**> and <**Renew**> button will release the Broadband router's WAN IP address and renew will get another IP address from the DHCP server. If the WAN port uses PPPoE, <**Release**> will disconnect the PPP session, and <**Renew**> will initialize another PPP session.

3.3 Device Status

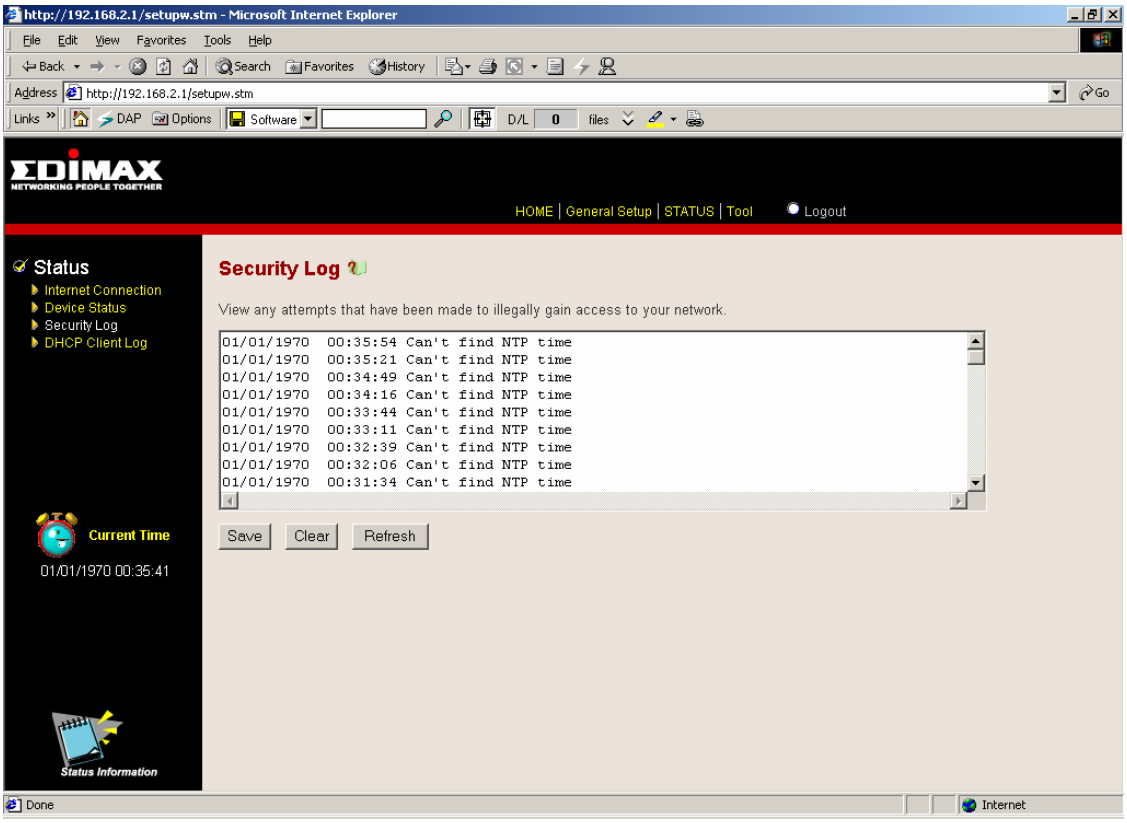
View the Broadband router's current configuration settings. The Device Status displays the configuration settings you've configured in the **Quick Setup Wizard/General Setup** section.



Parameters	Description
Device Status	This page shows the Broadband router's current device settings. This page displays the Broadband router LAN port's current LAN **IP Address** and **Subnet Mask**. It also shows whether the **DHCP Server** and **Firewall** functions are enabled/disabled. The firewall status is shown enabled if the firewall is enabled (regardless of whether you've configured any of the firewall features).

3.4 Security Log

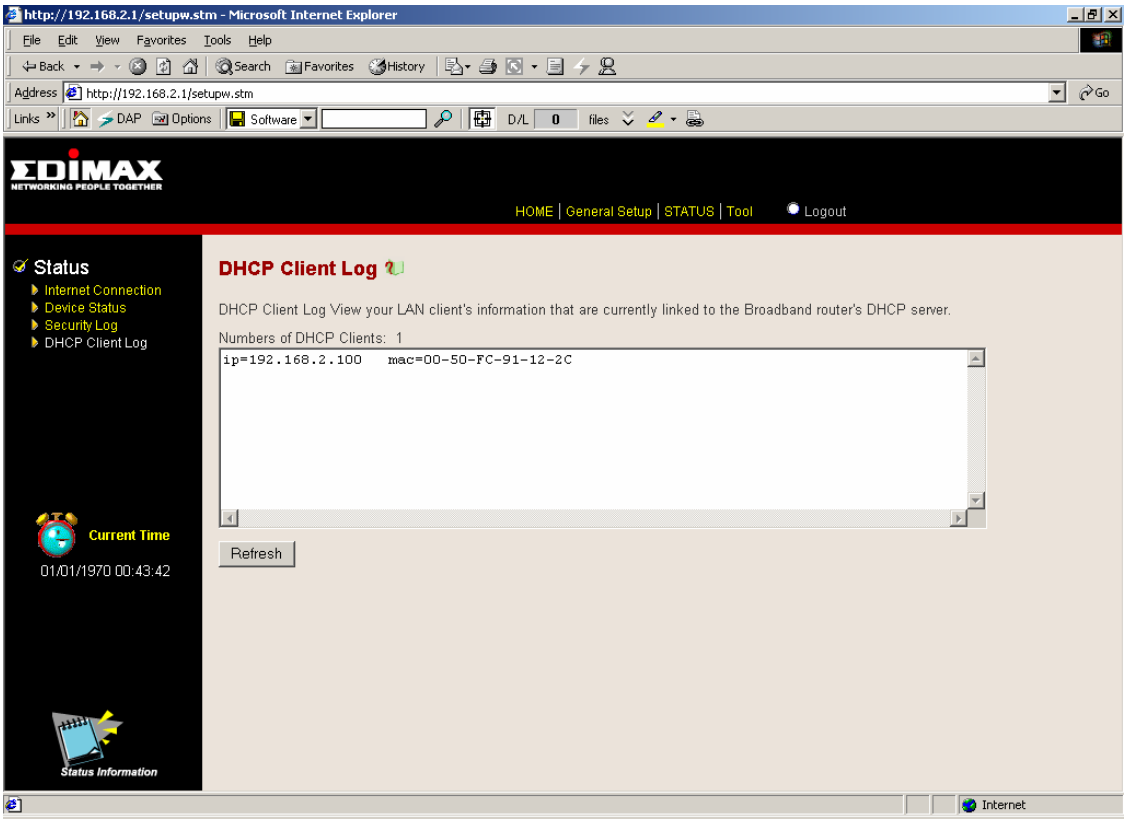
View any attempts that have been made to illegally gain access to your network.



Parameters	Description
Security Log	This page shows the current security log of the Broadband router. It displays any illegal attempts to access your network. At the bottom of the page, the security log can be saved <**Save**> to a local file for further processing or the security log can be cleared <**Clear**> or it can be refreshed <**Refresh**> to get the most updated situation. When the system is powered down, the security log will disappear if not saved to a local file.

3.5 DHCP Client Log

View your LAN client's information that is currently linked to the Broadband router's DHCP server.

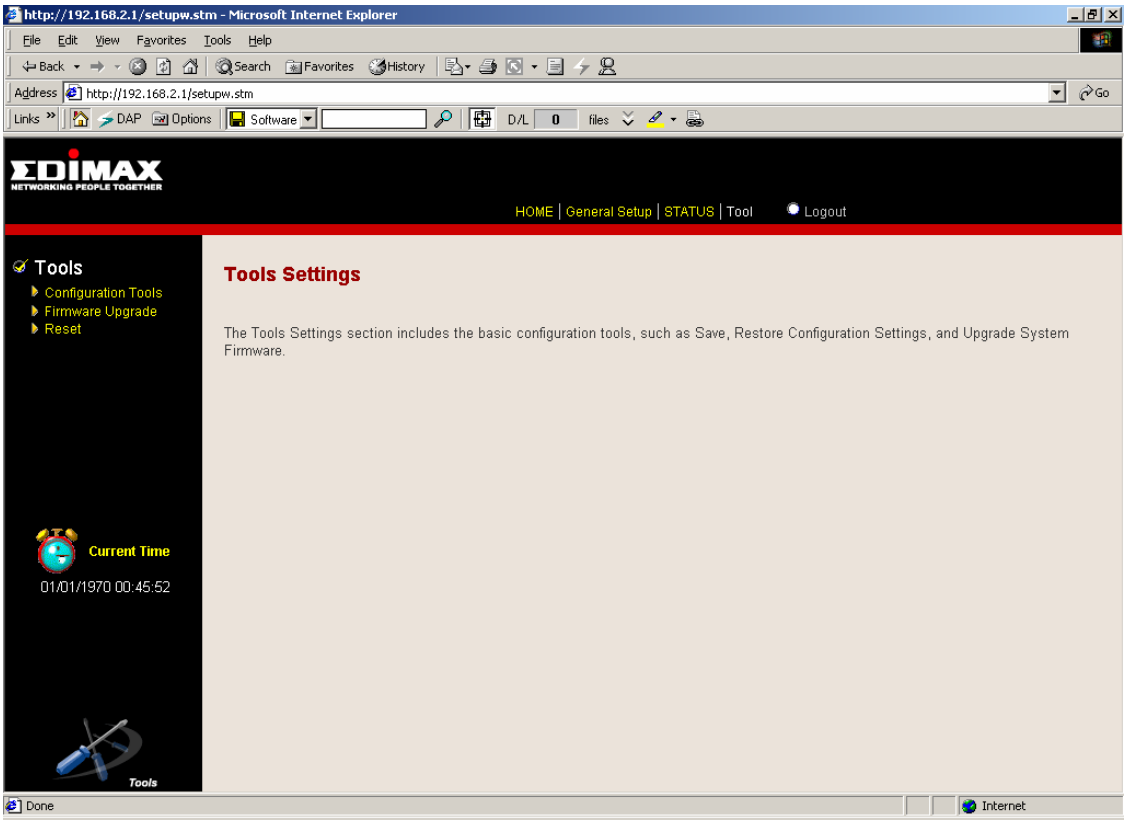


Parameters	Description
DHCP Client Log	This page shows all DHCP clients (LAN PCs) currently connected to your network. **Number of DHCP Clients** displays the number of LAN clients that are currently linked to the Broadband router's DHCP server. The DHCP Client Log displays the **IP** address and the **MAC** address of each LAN Client. Use the **Refresh** button to get the most updated situation

Chapter 4

Tool

This page includes the basic configuration tools, such as Configuration Tools (save or restore configuration settings), Firmware Upgrade (upgrade system firmware) and Reset.

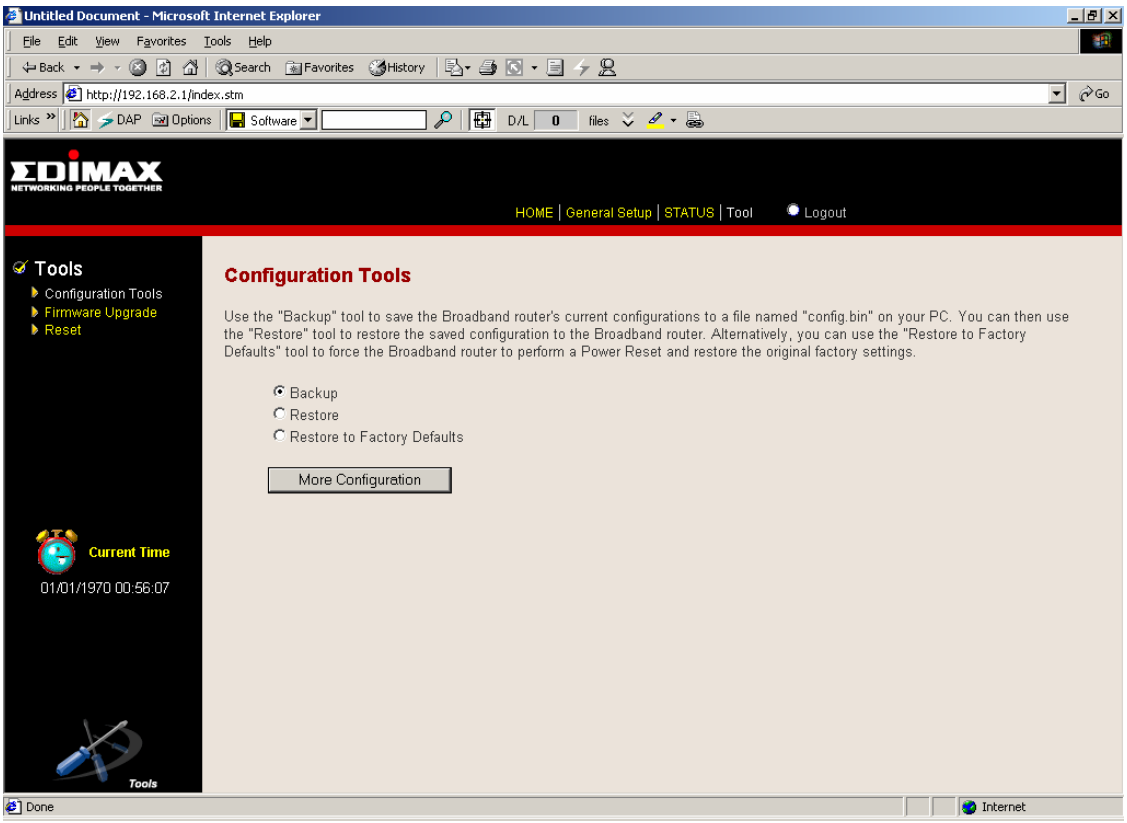


Parameters	Description
4.1 Configuration Tools	You can save the router's current configuration, restore the router's saved configuration files and restore the router's factory default settings
4.2 Firmware Upgrade	This page allows you to upgrade the router's firmware
4.3 Reset	You can reset the router's system should any problem exist

Select one of the above three **Tools Settings** selection and proceed to the manual's relevant sub-section

4.1 Configuration Tools

The Configuration Tools screen allows you to save (**Backup**) the router's current configuration setting. Saving the configuration settings provides an added protection and convenience should problems occur with the router and you have to reset to factory default. When you save the configuration setting (Backup) you can re-load the saved configuration into the router through the **Restore** selection. If extreme problems occur you can use the **Restore to Factory Defaults** selection, this will set all configurations to its original default settings (e.g. when you first purchased the router).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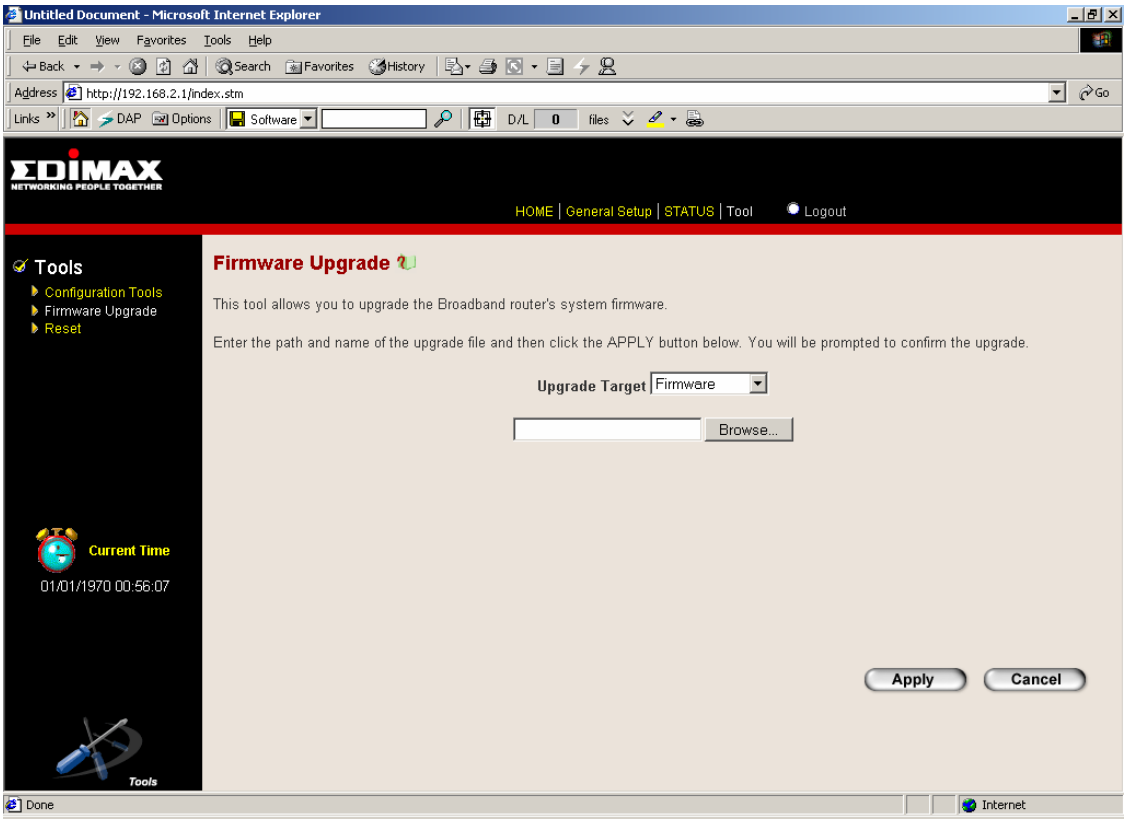
EDIMAX
NETWORKING PEOPLE TOGETHER
HOME | General Setup | STATUS | Tool
Logout
Tools
Configuration Tools
Firmware Upgrade
Reset
Configuration Tools
Use the "Backup" tool to save the Broadband router's current configurations to a file named "config.bin" on your PC. You can then use the "Restore" tool to restore the saved configuration to the Broadband router. Alternatively, you can use the "Restore to Factory Defaults" tool to force the Broadband router to perform a Power Reset and restore the original factory settings.
Backup
Restore
Restore to Factory Defaults
More Configuration
Current Time
01/01/1970 00:56:07
Tools
Done
Internet

Parameters	Description
Configuration Tools	Use the "**Backup**" tool to save the Broadband router current configuration to a file named "backup_config.exe" on your PC. You can then use the "**Restore**" tool to restore the saved configuration to the Broadband router. Alternatively, you can use the "**Restore to Factory Defaults**" tool to force the Broadband router to perform a power reset and restore the original factory settings. **Note**: Click <**More Configuration**> after making a selection and follow the instructions

4.2 Firmware Upgrade

This page allows you to upgrade the router's firmware

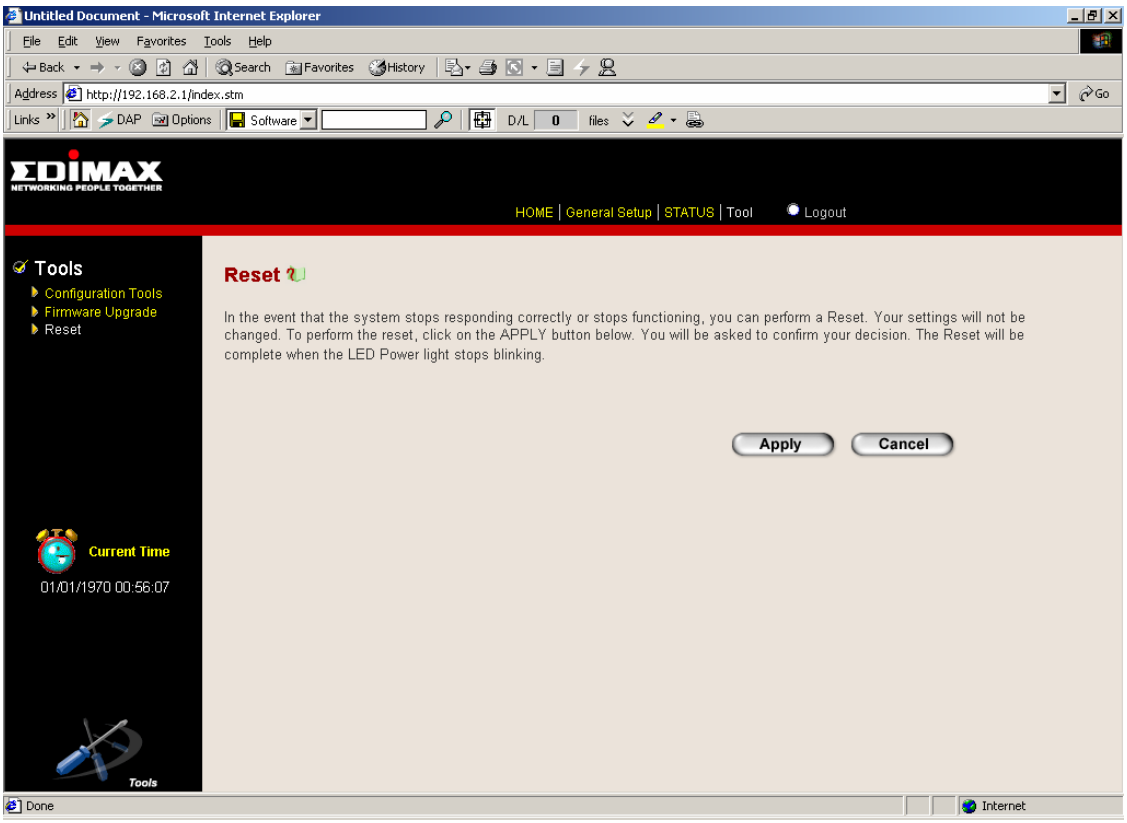


Parameters	Description
Firmware Upgrade	This tool allows you to upgrade the Broadband router's system firmware. To upgrade the firmware of your Broadband router, you need to download the firmware file to your local hard disk, and enter that file name and path in the appropriate field on this page. You can also use the Browse button to find the firmware file on your PC.

Once you've selected the new firmware file, click **<Apply>** at the bottom of the screen to start the upgrade process. (You may have to wait a few minutes for the upgrade to complete). Once the upgrade is complete you can start using the router.

4.3 Reset

You can reset the router's system should any problem exist. The reset function essentially Re-boots your router's system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File Edit View Favorites Tools Help
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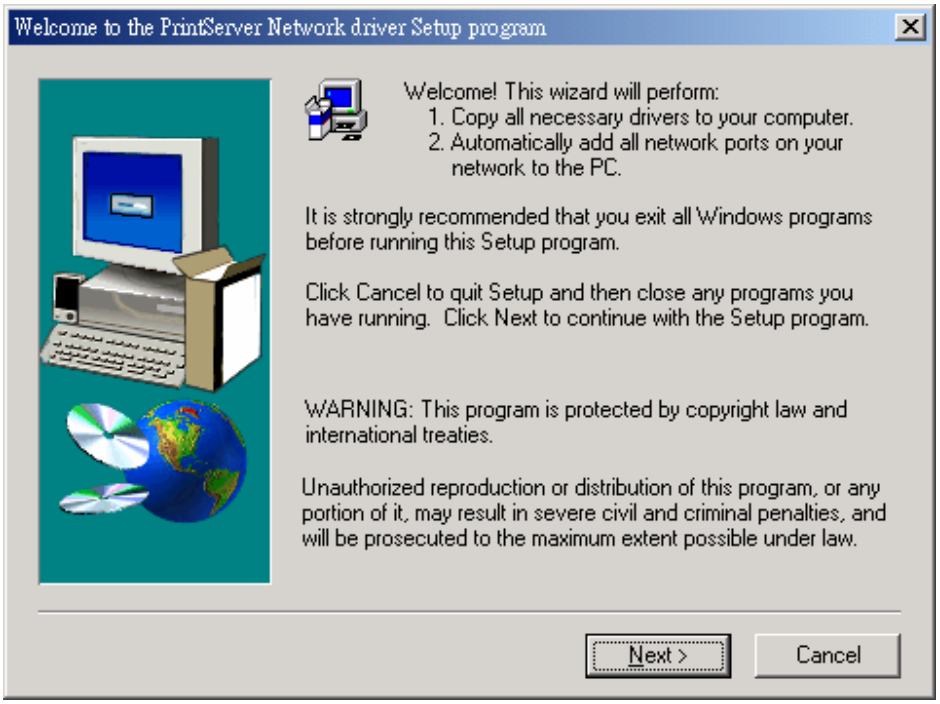
EDIMAX
NETWORKING PEOPLE TOGETHER
HOME | General Setup | STATUS | Tool
Logout
Tools
Configuration Tools
Firmware Upgrade
Reset
Reset
In the event that the system stops responding correctly or stops functioning, you can perform a Reset. Your settings will not be changed. To perform the reset, click on the APPLY button below. You will be asked to confirm your decision. The Reset will be complete when the LED Power light stops blinking.
Apply
Cancel
Current Time
01/01/1970 00:56:07
Tools
Done
Internet

Parameters	Description
Reset	In the event that the system stops responding correctly or in some way stops functioning, you can perform a reset. **Your settings will not be changed**. To perform the reset, click on the <APPLY> button. You will be asked to confirm your decision. The reset will be complete when the power light stops blinking. Once the reset process is complete you may start using the router again.

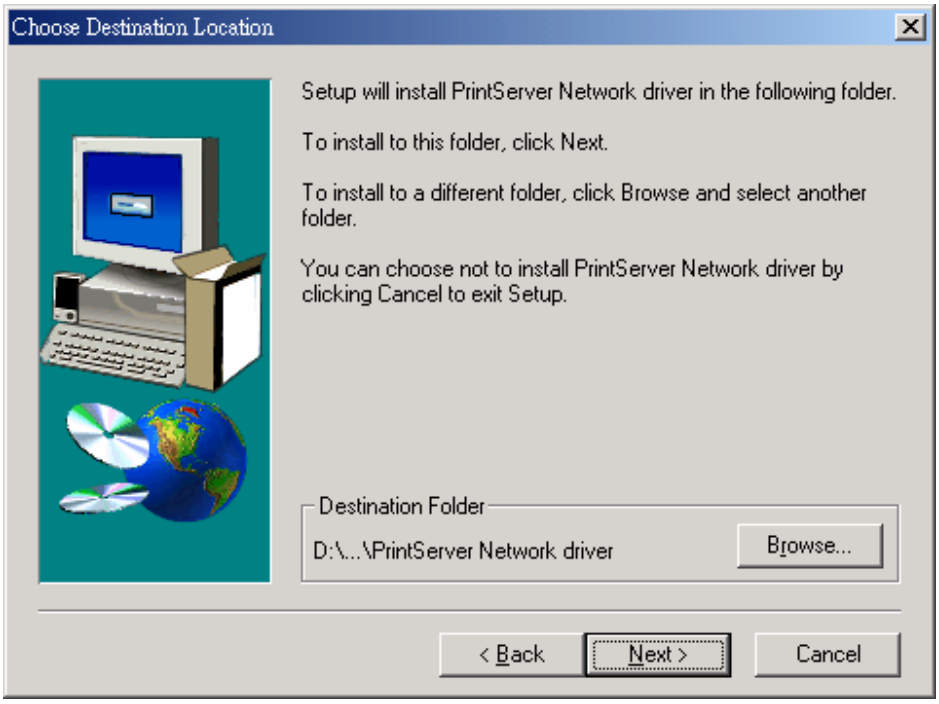
Chapter 5

5.1 Install Print Server Network Driver

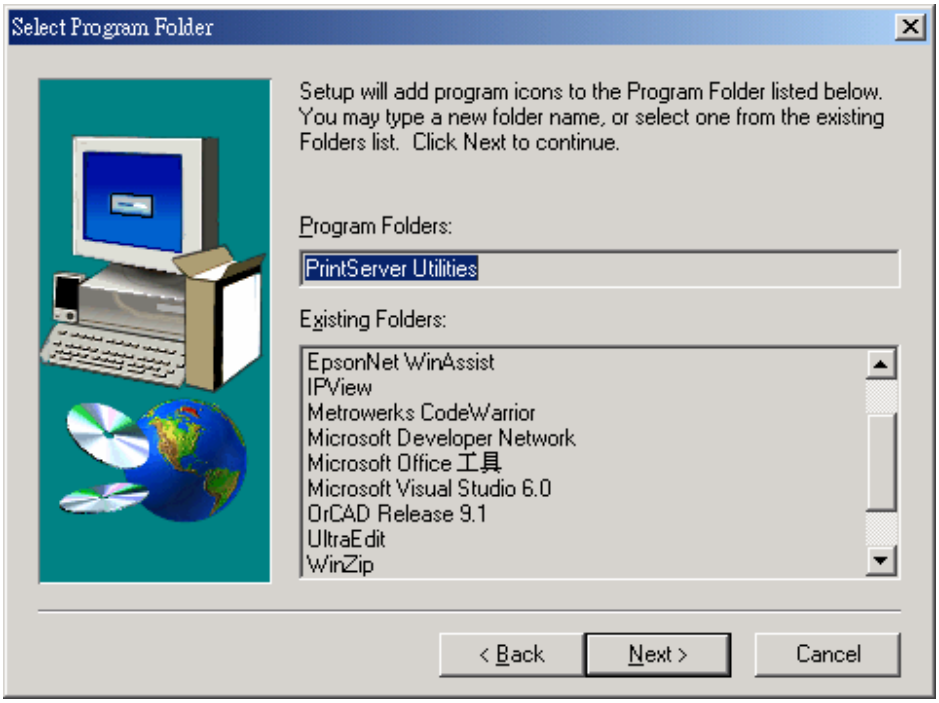
1. Execute WEClient.exe and the "PrintServer Network driver Setup program" window will be displayed.


Welcome to the PrintServer Network driver Setup program
Welcome! This wizard will perform:
1. Copy all necessary drivers to your computer.
2. Automatically add all network ports on your network to the PC.
It is strongly recommended that you exit all Windows programs before running this Setup program.
Click Cancel to quit Setup and then close any programs you have running. Click Next to continue with the Setup program.
WARNING: This program is protected by copyright law and international treaties.
Unauthorized reproduction or distribution of this program, or any portion of it, may result in severe civil and criminal penalties, and will be prosecuted to the maximum extent possible under law.
Next >
Cancel

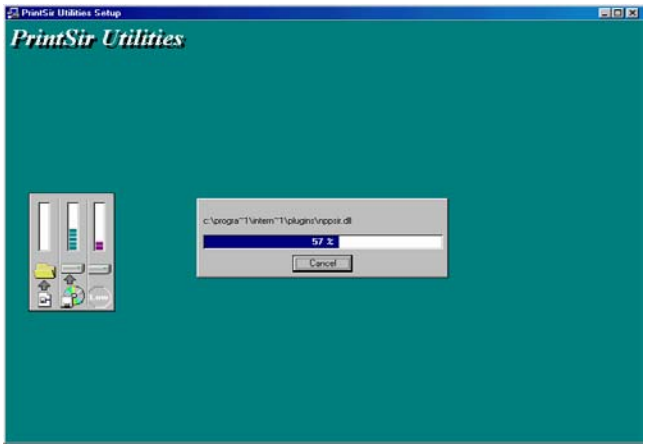
2. Click "Next" and specify the destination folder where the utility will be installed.


Choose Destination Location
Setup will install PrintServer Network driver in the following folder.
To install to this folder, click Next.
To install to a different folder, click Browse and select another folder.
You can choose not to install PrintServer Network driver by clicking Cancel to exit Setup.
Destination Folder
D:\...\PrintServer Network driver
Browse...
< Back
Next >
Cancel

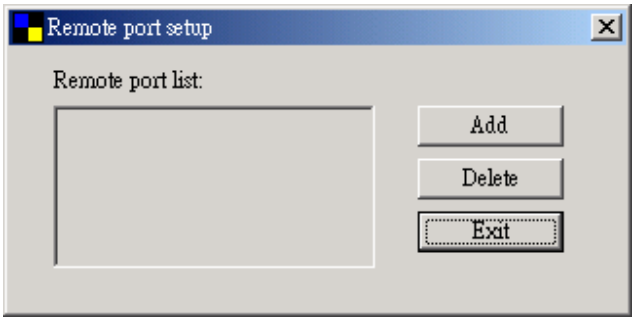
3. Click “Next” and specify the program folder where the program icons will be added.


Select Program Folder
Setup will add program icons to the Program Folder listed below. You may type a new folder name, or select one from the existing Folders list. Click Next to continue.
Program Folders:
PrintServer Utilities
Existing Folders:
EpsonNet WinAssist
IPView
Metrowerks CodeWarrior
Microsoft Developer Network
Microsoft Office 工具
Microsoft Visual Studio 6.0
OrCAD Release 9.1
UltraEdit
WinZip
< Back
Next >
Cancel

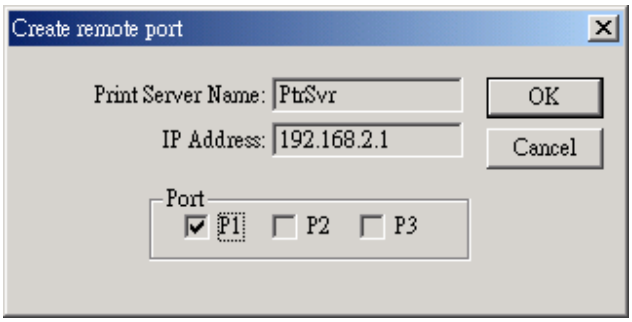
4. Click “Next” to start installation.



5. In a while, the program will finish installing all the utilities and drivers. Thus far you have completed the installation phase and prepare to use the print server. First, you have to add a remote port for the print server. Click “Add” to add a remote port.

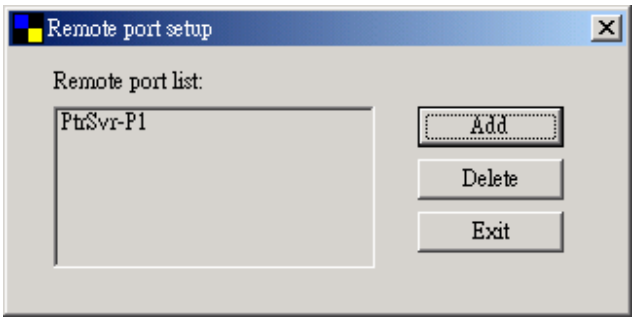


6. You have to assign a name for the print server and enter the IP address of the print server. You only can select P1, because the router only has one print port – P1. After filling the data, click “OK” to finish adding a remote port.



7. After adding a remote port for the print server, you can see the remote port’s name in the remote port list. The remote port’s name consists of print server name and the port number and there is a “-“ between these two parts. For example, if you assign “PtrSvr” as the print server name and select port “P1”, then the remote port’s name will be “PtrSvr-P1”. You can click “Add” to add another remote port or click

"Delete" to delete selected remote port. When you have finished setting the remote port, click "Exit" to exit the setup tool.

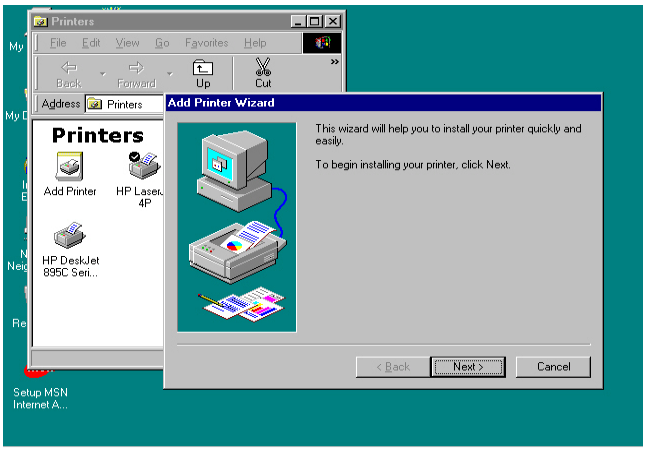


8. Now you have finished installing the print server client tool and can start to use the print server. If you want to use the print server, you have to configure your printer driver to use the remote port.

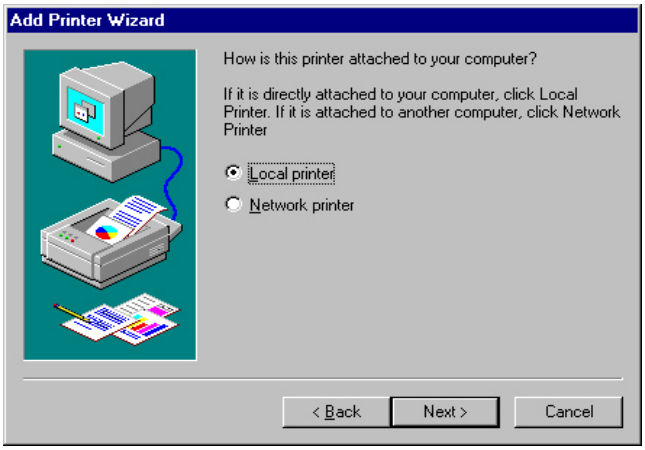
5.2 Add a Network Printer

After installing the print server client tool, you can then perform the standard “Add Printer” procedure to add network printer to your PC.

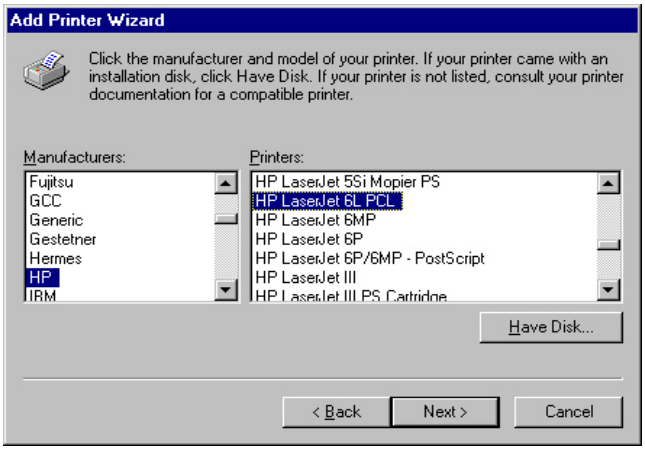
1. Click “Start” button, choose “Setting ➔ Printers”.
2. Double click “Add New Printer”.



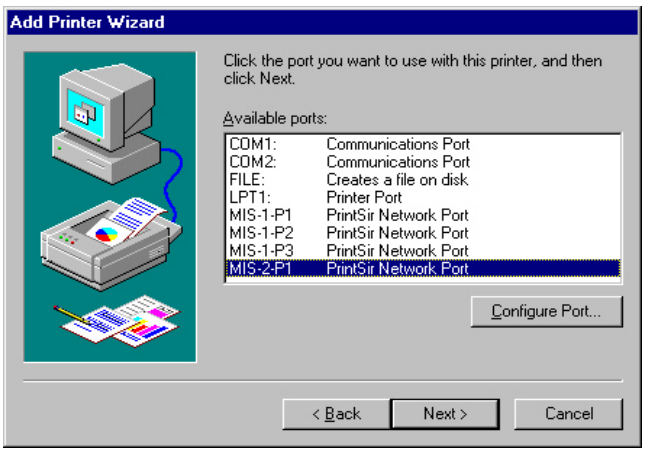
3. Select “Local Printer” and click “Next”.


Add Printer Wizard
How is this printer attached to your computer?
If it is directly attached to your computer, click Local Printer. If it is attached to another computer, click Network Printer
Local printer
Network printer
< Back
Next >
Cancel

4. Select the suitable printer manufacturer and model, then click “Next”.



5. Choose print server's remote port which has been created in the previous client tools installation process and click "Next".

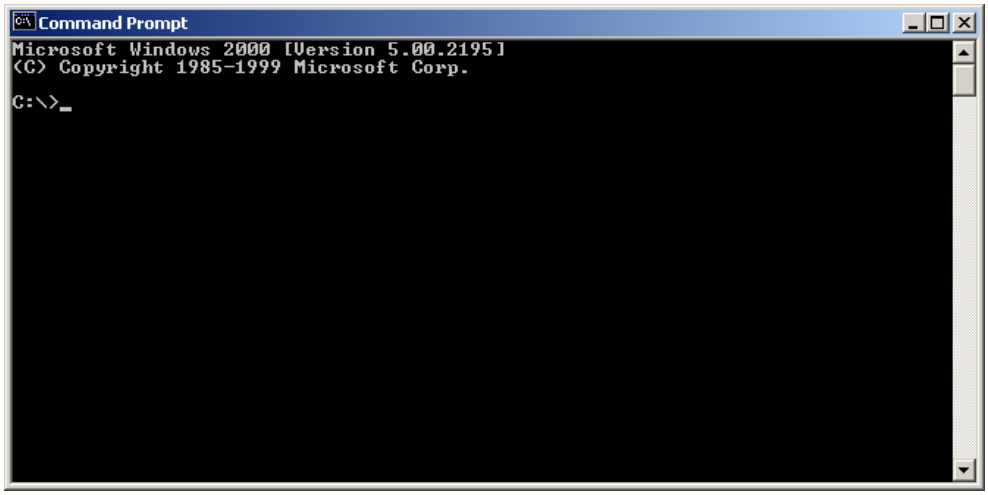

Add Printer Wizard
Click the port you want to use with this printer, and then click Next.
Available ports:
COM1: Communications Port
COM2: Communications Port
FILE: Creates a file on disk
LPT1: Printer Port
MIS-1-P1 PrintSir Network Port
MIS-1-P2 PrintSir Network Port
MIS-1-P3 PrintSir Network Port
MIS-2-P1 PrintSir Network Port
Configure Port...
< Back
Next >
Cancel

6. Complete the rest of the questions to finish the network printer setup.

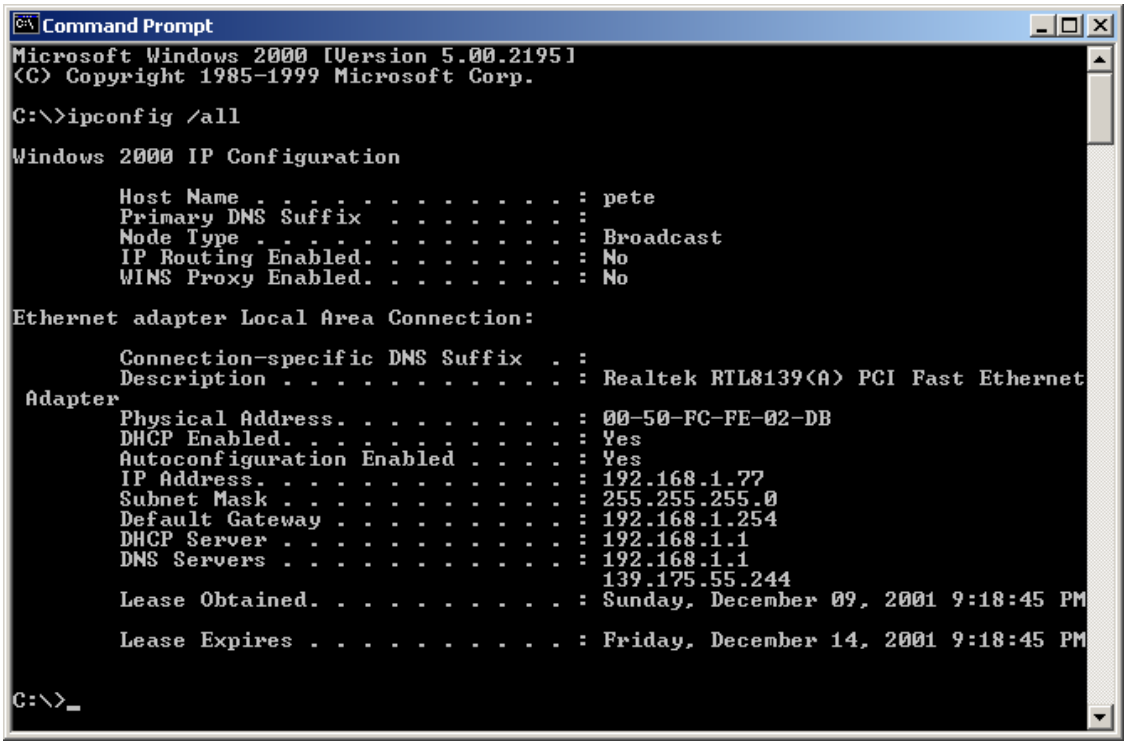
Appendix A

How to Manually find your PC's IP and MAC address

1) In Window's open the Command Prompt program



2) Type **Ipconfig /all** and <enter>


Command Prompt
Microsoft Windows 2000 [Version 5.00.2195]
(C) Copyright 1985-1999 Microsoft Corp.
C:\>ipconfig /all
Windows 2000 IP Configuration
Host Name . . . . . : pete
Primary DNS Suffix . . . . . :
Node Type . . . . . : Broadcast
IP Routing Enabled. . . . . : No
WINS Proxy Enabled. . . . . : No
Ethernet adapter Local Area Connection:
Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
Description . . . . . : Realtek RTL8139(A) PCI Fast Ethernet Adapter
Physical Address. . . . . : 00-50-FC-FE-02-DB
DHCP Enabled. . . . . : Yes
Autoconfiguration Enabled . . . . : Yes
IP Address. . . . . : 192.168.1.77
Subnet Mask . . . . . : 255.255.255.0
Default Gateway . . . . . : 192.168.1.254
DHCP Server . . . . . : 192.168.1.1
DNS Servers . . . . . : 192.168.1.1
139.175.55.244
Lease Obtained. . . . . : Sunday, December 09, 2001 9:18:45 PM
Lease Expires . . . . . : Friday, December 14, 2001 9:18:45 PM
C:\>

- Your PC's IP address is the one entitled **IP address** (192.168.1.77)
- The router's IP address is the one entitled **Default Gateway** (192.168.1.254)
- Your PC's MAC Address is the one entitled **Physical Address** (00-50-FC-FE-02-DB)

Glossary

Bridge: A bridge is an intelligent, internetworking device that forwards or filters packets between different networks based on data link layer (MAC) address information.

Default Gateway (Router): Every non-router IP device needs to configure a default gateway's IP address. When the device sends out an IP packet, if the destination is not on the same network, the device has to send the packet to its default gateway, which will then send it out towards the destination.

DHCP: Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol. This protocol automatically gives every computer on your home network an IP address.

DNS Server IP Address: DNS stands for Domain Name System, which allows Internet servers to have a domain name (such as www.Broadbandrouter.com) and one or more IP addresses (such as 192.34.45.8). A DNS server keeps a database of Internet servers and their respective domain names and IP addresses, so that when a domain name is requested (as in typing "Broadbandrouter.com" into your Internet browser), the user is sent to the proper IP address. The DNS server IP address used by the computers on your home network is the location of the DNS server your ISP has assigned to you.

DSL Modem: DSL stands for Digital Subscriber Line. A DSL modem uses your existing phone lines to transmit data at high speeds.

Ethernet: A standard for computer networks. Ethernet networks are connected by special cables and hubs, and move data around at up to 10/100 million bits per second (Mbps).

Idle Timeout: Idle Timeout is designed so that after there is no traffic to the Internet for a pre-configured amount of time, the connection will automatically be disconnected.

IP Address and Network (Subnet) Mask: IP stands for Internet Protocol. An IP address consists of a series of four numbers separated by periods, that identifies a single, unique Internet computer host in an IP network. Example: 192.168.2.1. It consists of 2 portions: the IP network address, and the host identifier.

The IP address is a 32-bit binary pattern, which can be represented as four cascaded decimal numbers separated by ".": aaa.aaa.aaa.aaa, where each "aaa" can be anything from 000 to 255, or as four cascaded binary numbers separated by ".": bbbbbbbb.bbbbbbbb.bbbbbbbb.bbbbbbbb, where each "b" can either be 0 or 1.
A network mask is also a 32-bit binary pattern, and consists of consecutive leading 1's followed by consecutive trailing 0's, such as 11111111.11111111.11111111.00000000. Therefore sometimes a network mask can also be described simply as "x" number of leading 1's.
When both are represented side by side in their binary forms, all bits in the IP address that correspond to 1's in the network mask become part of the IP network address, and the remaining bits correspond to the host ID.

For example, if the IP address for a device is, in its binary form,
11011001.10110000.10010000.00000111, and if its network mask is,
11111111.11111111.11110000.00000000
It means the device's network address is
11011001.10110000.10010000.00000000, and its host ID is,
00000000.00000000.00000000.00000111. This is a convenient and efficient method for routers to route IP packets to their destination.

ISP Gateway Address: (see ISP for definition). The ISP Gateway Address is an IP address for the Internet router located at the ISP's office.

ISP: Internet Service Provider. An ISP is a business that provides connectivity to the Internet for individuals and other businesses or organizations.

LAN: Local Area Network. A LAN is a group of computers and devices connected together in a relatively small area (such as a house or an office). Your home network is considered a LAN.

MAC Address: MAC stands for Media Access Control. A MAC address is the hardware address of a device connected to a network. The MAC address is a unique identifier for a device with an Ethernet interface. It is comprised of two parts: 3 bytes of data that corresponds to the Manufacturer ID (unique for each manufacturer), plus 3 bytes that are often used as the product's serial number.

NAT: Network Address Translation. This process allows all of the computers on your home network to use one IP address. Using the broadband router's NAT capability, you can access the Internet from any computer on your home network without having to purchase more IP addresses from your ISP.

Port: Network Clients (LAN PC) uses port numbers to distinguish one network application/protocol over another. Below is a list of common applications and protocol/port numbers:

Application	Protocol	Port Number
Telnet	TCP	23
FTP	TCP	21
SMTP	TCP	25
POP3	TCP	110
H.323	TCP	1720
SNMP	UCP	161
SNMP Trap	UDP	162
HTTP	TCP	80
PPTP	TCP	1723
PC Anywhere	TCP	5631
PC Anywhere	UDP	5632

PPPoE: Point-to-Point Protocol over Ethernet. Point-to-Point Protocol is a secure data transmission method originally created for dial-up connections; PPPoE is for Ethernet connections. PPPoE relies on two widely accepted standards, Ethernet and the Point-to-Point Protocol. It is a communications protocol for transmitting information over Ethernet between different manufacturers

Protocol: A protocol is a set of rules for interaction agreed upon between multiple parties so that when they interface with each other based on such a protocol, the interpretation of their behavior is well defined and can be made objectively, without confusion or misunderstanding.

Router: A router is an intelligent network device that forwards packets between different networks based on network layer address information such as IP addresses.

Subnet Mask: A subnet mask, which may be a part of the TCP/IP information provided by your ISP, is a set of four numbers (e.g. 255.255.255.0) configured like an IP address. It is used to create IP address numbers used only within a particular network (as opposed to valid IP address numbers recognized by the Internet, which must be assigned by InterNIC).

TCP/IP, UDP: Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) and Unreliable Datagram Protocol (UDP). TCP/IP is the standard protocol for data transmission over the Internet. Both TCP and UDP are transport layer protocol. TCP performs proper error detection and error recovery, and thus is reliable. UDP on the other hand is not reliable. They both run on top of the IP (Internet Protocol), a network layer protocol.

WAN: Wide Area Network. A network that connects computers located in geographically separate areas (e.g. different buildings, cities, countries). The Internet is a wide area network.

Web-based management Graphical User Interface (GUI): Many devices support a graphical user interface that is based on the web browser. This means the user can use the familiar Netscape or Microsoft Internet Explorer to Control/configure or monitor the device being managed.